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Births Registered in the Town of Stoneham for the year 1905

Date		Name	Sex	Parents Names	Occupation of Father
January	3	Frances Louise DeGruchy	F	J. Campbell and Elsie	Advertising Agent
"	4	Norman H. Dodge	M	Fred D. and Sarah A.	Clerk
"	5	Martin Joseph Manley	M	Edward F. and Mary	Shoemaker
"	12	Thomas Francis Halpin	M	Thomas and Kate	Shoemaker
"	14	Sylvia Richardson Park	F	Francis E. and Etta R.	Physician
"	17	Evelyn Catharine Downes	F	M. Alexander and Frances C.	Shoemaker
"	20	Marion Agnes McDonald	F	Chauncey and Katharine	Shoe Cutter
"	28	Chester H. Green	M	Frank E. and Flora J.	Shoe Cutter
"	28	Glenwood A. Green	M	Frank E. and Flora J.	Shoe Cutter
February	3	William Balch	M	William H. and Lena P.	Civil Engineer
"	4	Ralph William Barrie	M	Fred S. and Ida May	Shoemaker
"	7	George Howard Smith	M	Howard and Alice	Shoemaker
"	11	William Stephen Corcoran	M	William H. and Celia M.	Shoemaker
"	13	Chester Edward Bradley	M	Alvin E. and Nellie F.	Carpenter
March	3	Margaret Murray	F	James J. and Mary A.	Printer
"	13	Ruth Alice Reynolds	F	Joseph H. and Edith M.	Plumber
"	20	James Maurice Keenan	M	Joseph A. and Roseanna	Shoemaker
"	21	Everett Warren Wigganton	M	Warren and Edith	Shoemaker
"	25	John Winthrop Alden	M	John A. and Nellie B.	Photographer
April	1	George Joseph Ryan	M	Michael B. and Marion	Printer
"	3	Geraldine Edna Turner	F	Gerald E. and Edna	Engineer
"	12	Eileen Ann Casey	F	Patrick and Elizabeth	Shoe Cutter
"	12	Alice May Porter	F	Harry and Mary	Shoemaker
"	18	Willard Beverly Yancey	M	James A. and Annie	Gardener
"	22	Lillian Frances Doyle	F	John T. and Annie E.	Shoemaker
"	23	Bernardine Morris	F	Charles and Clara	
"	24	Eliza Clara Butler	F	James and Martha L.	Mechanic

"	28	Edward McEchern	M	John B. and Elizabeth A.	Salesman
"	30	Emma Beurbe	F	Moses and Alice	Shoemaker
May	3	Eleanor Agnes Sampson	F	Joseph C. and Georgia A.	Shoemaker
"	3	Ellen Elizabeth McKenna	F	Maurice H. and Catharine E.	Grocer
"	4	John Gregory Connors	M	Thomas and Mary	
"	4	Delia May Richardson	F	Frank A. and Josephine C. W.	Poultry Breeder
"	8	Keyes	F	George A. and	
"	9	Lyman Sumner Hovey	M	Sumner A. and Mary E.	Mechanic
"	10	Clayton Turnbull Bockus	M	Chester E. and Mary A.	Baggage Master
"	16	Walter Howard Morrison	M	Clarence N. and Irene	Shoe Cutter
"	19	James Freeman	M	Patrick and Delia	Teamster
"	19	William Henry McHale	M	Patrick and Mary	Roofer
"	22	Mary Beatrice Sweet	F	Frederick E. and Ellen L.	Shoemaker
"	28	Stanley Whiton Carl	M	Charles and Ethel	Machinist
"	29	Charles Berkman Sheridan	M	Robert E. and Nellie	Caterer
June	7	Mary Theresa Dempsey	M	John H. and Theresa	Shoemaker
"	9	Harold Francis Devaney	M	John A. and Myra B.	Brakeman
"	14	Walter Kenneth Christie	M	Richard and Lillian	Teamster
"	19	Charles Elmer Engren	M	Ernest H. and Hulda N.	Shoemaker
"	20	Franklin Chadbourne Blenkhorn	M	James and Mary G.	Physician
"	24	Winona Grover	F	Webster B. and Florabell	Shoemaker
"	27	James Arthur McNanie	M	James and Olive	Mason
July	4	Francis Lloyd Rivers	M	Almond D. and Ethel M.	Chemist
"	11	John Albert Slade	M	Leslie H. and Grace F.	Gardener
"	12	Rayford Melvin Potter	M	George M. and Lottie B.	Heel Cutter
"	12	Georgiana Mary Stone	F	Tilly and Della	Shoemaker
"	20	William Newell Small	M	John C. C. and Marion L.	Policeman
"	23	John Henry Harris	M	William J. and Sarah A.	Merchant
"	26	Richard Gilman Barnes	M	Winthrop F. and Nellie L.	Musician
"	27	John George O'Brien	M	John G. and Winifred	Plasterer
August	2	Arthur Felton Thompson	M	William I. and Grace E.	Electrician
"	9	Alfred Edmund Schinzel	M	Alfred E. and Alma	Game Keeper
"	14	Herman Eames Pickens	M	Elbert B. and Ina L.	Laundry
"	15	Gertrude Mary Surrette	F	John I. and Delphina	Shoemaker

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Date	Name	Sex	Parents Names	Occupation of Father
August 21	Marjorie Annabel Howard	F	Gilford and Elizabeth	Clerk
" 22	Ruth Helen Martin	F	William T. and Susan M.	Shoemaker
" 31	Thomas Flavin Conlon	M	Felix and Katharine F.	Lawyer
September 5	Raymond E. Lucier	M	Emile and Eugene	Shoemaker
" 5	Mabel Florence Rowen	F	Thomas W. and Agnes	Driver
" 8	Herbert Philip Plourde	M	Philip and Exing	Shoemaker
" 13	McNeil	F	James and	
" 15	Joseph Fallon	M	William and Nora	Farmer
" 19	Catharine Doris Cogan	F	John F. and Catharine F.	Shoemaker
" 24	John M. Devlin	M	Michael and Lizzie	Laborer
" 27	Mary Magdalene Demello	F	Manuel and Julia	Farmer
" 28	John Francis Howard	M	Thomas and Margaret E.	Currier
" 28	John Joseph Scanlon	M	Patrick and Mary	Shoemaker
October 11	Leonard Scott	M	Edward and Lena	Box Maker
" 12	Marion Gertrude McDonough	F	Martin and Mary	Shoemaker
" 14	William Theodore Farrell	M	Willie F. and Nellie E.	Hotel Keeper
" 15	Cathrine Hildegarde Murphy	F	John and Annie	Trav. Salesman
" 19	Margaret Mary White	F	Mark and Mary	Teamster
" 21	Kenneth Earl Rice	M	Henry E. and Sadie O.	Shoe Cutter
" 24	William Joseph Brady	M	James and Mary	Teamster
" 30	Joseph Bean	M	Napoleon P. and Lillian F.	Painter
" 31	Elsa Victoria Holtzberg	F	Emil and Alma L.	Carpenter
November 5	Eugene E. Elderkin	M	William A. and Helena	Shoemaker
" 9	Helen Frances Hoey	F	Eugene F. and Mary E.	Machinist
" 11	Anna M. Dewhurst	F	Dwight D. and Anna M.	Shoemaker
" 12	Irene Mildred Roberts	F	Frank H. and Carrie I. M.	Teamster
" 24	Mildred Louise Waitt	F	Nathaniel C. and Mabel G.	Die Maker

" 25	George Bernard Hogan	M	Daniel and Florence	Shoemaker
December 10	Edith Viola Pineo	F	Frank W. and Etta	Teamster
" 13	Margaret Helen Dalton	F	Michael J. and Angelina C.	Shoemaker
" 21	Christine Josephine Blomberg	F	Gustavus and Karin	Baker
" 22	Kenneth Earl Hemeon	M	Chester O. and Edith A.	Salesman
" 24	Bernice Agatha McCarthy	F	Thomas M. and Frances M.	Brass Moulder
" 24	Emma Anderson	F	John D. and Susan E.	Salesman
" 26	Joseph Francis McHale	M	John and Mary E.	Teamster
" 27	Doris Bergholtz	F	Carl A. and Sigret A.	Machinist

Summary of Births

Whole number registered	107
Males	62
Females	45

NATIVITY OF PARENTS

	FATHER	MOTHER
Stoneham	19	16
Other Cities and Towns	44	50
British Provinces	20	19
England	2	3
Ireland	12	11
Sweden	4	5
Germany	1	
Portugal	1	
Italy		1
Unknown	4	2
	107	107

Marriages Registered in the Town of Stoneham for the Year 1905

Date	Names	Residence	Age	Occupation
Jan. 2	Walter C. Twing	Stoneham	32	Baker
	Elizabeth W. Rice	Stoneham	22	Nurse
" 7	Horace B. Harrington	Boston	22	Clerk
	Alice E. Gallagher	Stoneham	22	At home
" 9	Patrick Francis Sarni	Chelsea	25	Horseshoer
	Ellen Agnes Conefy	Stoneham	23	Housekeeper
" 19	Charles A. Turner	Wakefield	22	Conductor
	Lillian M. Conley	Stoneham	20	Operative
" 23	Alfred E. Graves	Stoneham	28	Machinist
	Winifred M. Hill	Everett	22	At home
" 31	Nathaniel C. Waitt	Stoneham	33	Die Maker
	Mabel Gertrude Brown	Stoneham	25	Laboratory
Feb. 2	Henry H. Leavitt	Stoneham	23	Woodworker
	Bessie B. Hawkes	Wakefield	23	Weaver
" 4	Benjamin Piper	HoldernessNH	21	Farmer
	Ethel Melissa McIntyre	Laconia, N. H.	19	Domestic
" 15	Burt Whitaker Flint	Waltham	27	Civil Engineer
	Marion Gertrude Curry	Stoneham	27	At home
" 15	William H. Connor	Everett	45	Shoe Finisher
	Elgie N. Mulliken	Everett	41	Shoe Vamper
" 16	Elmer F. Waitt	Stoneham	19	Box Maker
	Alice G. Davis	Stoneham	19	Box Maker
" 20	Frank O. Miller	Stoneham	22	Decorator
	Maude B. Wright	Stoneham	19	At home
" 21	Thomas H. Meegan	Stoneham	40	Contractor
	Johanna Twomey	Revere	27	Domestic
" 28	Almon A. Quimby	Stoneham	37	Blacksmith
	Catharine D. Bayne	Melrose	25	At home
Mar. 1	Duncan M. Stewart	Stoneham	25	Mail Carrier
	Tena B. Greene	Stoneham	24	Laboratory
" 22	Wallace Leathe Jackson	Medford	48	Bookkeeper
	Ida Fostena Harvey	Nashua, N. H.	42	Nurse

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Place of Birth	Names of Parents	By Whom Married
Sandisfield Conway	Samuel J. and Julia S. William H. and Mary E.	A. E. Place, Clergyman
Wakefield Woburn	George W. and Kate C. Michael and Annie J.	W. J. Millerick, Priest
Naples, Italy Stoneham	Patrick and Louise Bernard and Catharine	William J. Millerick, Priest
Frederickton, N. B. Stoneham	William R. and Sarah E. Charles H. and Mary F.	M. J. O'Connor, R. C. Priest
Hardwick Manchester, N. H.	Alfred J. and Delia James and Laura E.	George G. Hamilton
Methuen Lawrence	E. Bryant and Harriet E. Benj. K. and Prudence D.	B. Alfred Dumm, Minister of the Gospel
St. Johnsbury, Vt. Wakefield	John and Annie George and Mary	John W. Ward, Clergyman
Holderness, N. H. W. Centre Harbor, N.H.	George R. and Addie Charles P. and Hannah	John W. Ward, Clergyman
Thorndike, Me., Chelsea	Daniel B. and Phoebe T. Louis E. and Helen	J. N. Short, Clergyman
Milford Franconia, N. H.	Richard A. and Elizabeth Walter and Sarah	John W. Ward, Clergyman
Lynn Stoneham	Elmer E. and Etta F. George F. and Angelia	John W. Ward, Clergyman
Lynn Andover	George E. and Nellie J. Ambrose E Band FannieC	John W. Ward, Clergyman
Milton, Me. Ireland	John and Rose Jeremiah and Hannah	P. M. O'Connor, Priest
Limington, Me. Boston	George F. and Catharine Thomas and Helen	Thomas Sims, Minister
Stoneham Skowhegan, Me.	Duncan and Annie Charles and Clara	F. A. Starratt, Clergyman
Medford Chevarie, N. S.	Ebenezar E. and Mary L. Nathaniel and Elizabeth	John W. Ward, Clergyman

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Mar. 22	John Ervin	Stoneham	65	Carpenter
	Margaret A. Higgins	Pasedena, Cal.	45	At home
" 26	Fred E. Sweet	Stoneham	18	Tailor
	Helen L. Quinlan	Stoneham	23	At home
" 30	Asa R. Frost	Stoneham	23	Shoe Cutter
	Bessie M. Crowley	Stoneham	25	Box Maker
Apr. 12	Edward Francis Lowry	Boston	50	Clerk
	Marion Smith	Stoneham	35	Insurance
" 22	Arad Gerry	Stoneham	45	Retired
	Anna B. Phillips	WoodsvilleNH	34	At home
" 28	John A. LaClair	Woburn	51	Clerk
	Isabelle Marie Tredick	Stoneham	49	At home
May 2	Frank A. Starratt	Stoneham	40	Clergyman
	Florence Seabourne Ross	Brookline	36	At home
" 5	George W. O'Donnell	Stoneham	28	Waiter
	Elizabeth K. Lawler	Stoneham	21	Housework
" 13	George Francis Poland	Woburn	34	Poultryman
	Eva Content Percy	Wakefield	23	Nurse
" 17	Manual C. Demelo	Stoneham	35	Farmer
	Julia Cunio	Stoneham	27	At home
" 27	Russell Rogers	No. Reading	60	Laborer
	Mary A. Carpenter	Stoneham	34	Domestic
June 6	Humphrey G. Gaunce	Stoneham	31	Nurse
	Maggie A. Murphy	Stoneham	29	Nurse
" 14	Claude E. Patch	Stoneham	27	Draughtsman
	Nellie I. Keene	Stoneham	22	Teacher
" 14	Lewis D. Smith	Everett	27	Fireman
	Augusta B. Morey	Stoneham	22	At home
" 14	Joseph E. Hill	Stoneham	25	Clerk
	Mabel E. Johonnot	Stoneham	26	Stenographer
" 18	Horace E. Bellows	Stoneham	26	Jeweler
	Bessie Trask	Reading	28	At home

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Musquodoboit, N. S. Musquodoboit, N. S.	Charles and Ann John and Jennie	B. Alfred Dumm, Clergyman
Stoneham Stoneham	Daniel N. and Amanda John and Mary Dugan	M. J. O'Connor, Cath. Priest
N. Brunswick Milltown, Me.	Eben R. and Grace Thomas S. and Ruth	Henry G. Megathlin, Minister of the Gospel
Lexington Stoneham	William and Sarah J. Henry A. and Almira M.	Paul R. Frothingham, Clergyman
Cincinnatti, O. Landaff, N. H.	Arad and Eliza J. Moses H. and Maryetta	William Lloyd, Clergyman
Stoneham Wakefield	John E. and Mary E. Amos W. and Mary M.	Henry C. Parker, Clergyman
Nova Scotia Nova Scotia	George and Emily Lawson and Augusta	Avery A. Shaw, Minister of the Gospel
Portland, Me. England	James and Margaret Joseph and Mary	Edward F. McLeod, Clergyman
Boston Dresden, Me.	Edmund C. and Clara A. George O. and Hattie E.	B. Alfred Dumm, Minister of the Gospel
St. Michael Port Italy	Jaques and Rosa Andrea and Cateriua	Rev. M. J. O'Connor,
Salem Stoneham	Russell and Mary Ann Charles G. and Mary	Rev. J. S. Barker
Gagetown, N. B. Peterville Church, N.B.	John C. and Caroline V. Robert and Ellen	A. E. Place, Clergyman
Woburn Stoneham	Edgar L. and Matilda S. Walter S. and Kate M.	F. A. Starratt, Minister
E. Boston Milford	Deoscar L. and Henrietta Thomas J. and Carrie	B. Alfred Dumm, Clergyman
Bethleham, Pa. Stoneham	Alvin and Ruth Jane Amos F. and Alma	F. A. Starratt, Minister
Southboro, Yarmouth, N. S.	Fred E. and Leona B. Jacob F. and Sarah	Fred C. W. Parker, Minister of the Gospel

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June 19	John Pitts Marston	Stoneham	31	Importer
	Elizabeth Weeks Eaton	Winchester	31	At home
" 21	Edmund C. Munger	Stoneham	25	Salesman
	Annie M. Hayward	Dorchester	25	Bookkeeper
" 21	Eldridge C. Freeman	Dorchester	33	Salesman
	Lena Maria Mann	Stoneham	33	At home
" 28	James T. Fox	Stoneham	28	Merchant
	Edna Belle Eames	Reading	23	At home
" 28	Edwin W. Fisher	Boston	39	Compositor
	Frances Hyde	Boston	26	Waitress
" 28	Archie L. Pierce	Stoneham	28	Stenographer
	Mabel A. Brown	Danby, Vt.	25	Teacher
July 1	Wilbur W. Chapman	Stoneham	26	Salesman
	Bessie B. Weir	Stoneham	24	Laboratory
" 12	John W. Carr	Stoneham	33	Teamster
	Florence E. Cox	Stoneham	20	At home
" 19	Michael McGann	Boston	37	Freight Hand
	Mary A. McGowan	Stoneham	30	Domestic
" 29	Arthur S. Parker	Stoneham	39	Florist
	Nettie Belle Young	Stoneham	32	At home
Aug. 2	Gale Dudley	Stoneham	25	Carpenter
	Emma A. Woodward	Stoneham	20	At home
" 9	George A. Hersam	Stoneham	26	Student
	Mabel W. Horne	Stoneham	24	At home
" 24	Parker G. Webber	Stoneham	52	Carpenter
	Alice F. Young	Lynn	33	At home
" 28	William C. Small, Jr.	Nashua, N. H.	21	Draughtsman
	Marion Read	Stoneham	24	At home
" 31	Jesse A. Briggs	No. Jay, Me.	25	Salesman
	Della Bemis	Stoneham	22	Student
Sept. 5	Julius Agen	Stoneham	26	Trader
	Tillie Rosenblatt	Somerville	21	At home

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Stoneham Bangor, Me.	John F. and Sarah A. Joseph and Mary	Rev. Peter C. Quinn
Charlestown Boston	Levi J. and Mina P. James H. and Annie M.	George E. Paine, Priest
Provincetown Stoneham	Frank M. and Mary L. P. Hervey and Maria	William Lloyd, Clergyman
Stoneham Melrose	James and Bridget Leonard T. and Emily	William J. Millerick, Priest
Chicago, Ill. P. E. Island	Philip and Elizabeth John B. and Mary	B. Alfred Dumm, Minister of the Gospel
Stoneham Danby, Vt.	James H. and Alice J. Amos and Harriet E.	Daniel McIntyre, Pastor Cong'l Church
Stoneham Digby, N. S.	Rufus B. and Mary F. George I. and Martha J.	George E. Lovejoy, Clergyman
Holderness, N. H. Holderness, N. H.	Charles A. and Angie Nathan B. and Frances	Nathaniel B. Fisk, Clergyman
Ireland Ireland	Patrick and Ann James and Ann	W. J. Millerick, Priest
Reading Bridgetown, N. S.	Dexter and Elvira T. J. Wallace and Emma C.	N. H. Warner, Baptist Pastor
Deerfield, N. H. Masonville, Ca.	David F. and Blanche L. John F. and Emma	B. Alfred Dumm, Clergyman
Stoneham Stoneham	Reuben M. and H. Abbie Richard and Anna M.	Frank A. Starratt, Minister
Shapleigh, Me. Lynn	Greenleaf and Sarah C. Henry and Lydia G.	A. A. Williams, Clergyman and J. P.
Nashua, N. H. St. John, Mich.	William C. and Kate Joshua T. and Fannie M.	John G. Taylor, Clergyman
No. Jay, Me. Goshen, N. H.	Daniel and Delia Warren and Emma	A. E. Place, Clergyman
Russia Russia	Abraham and Lena Moses and Sarah	Israel M. Levin, Rabbi

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Date	Names	Residence	Age	Occupation
Sept. 11	Roger Doherty	Stoneham	37	Laborer
	Bridget Kelley	Woburn	25	Waitress
" 17	James Bernard Lilley	Stoneham	20	Shoe Cutter
	Ellen Agnes Powers	Stoneham	22	At home
" 27	Fred P. Urquhart	Wakefield	24	Printer
	Carrie M. Kelly	Stoneham	25	Bookkeeper
" 27	John F. Wentworth	Stoneham	25	Florist
	Annie D. Holt	Wakefield	25	At home
" 28	Harry A. Staples	Stoneham	26	Teamster
	Adelaide M. Dugaus	Stoneham	25	Housekeeper
" 30	George H. Dike	Stoneham	21	Shoe Cutter
	Frances B. MacLean	Wakefield	18	At home
Oct. 4	Leon E. Hoyt	Stoneham	26	Carpenter
	Annie A. Richardson	Wakefield	19	At home
" 15	Andrew Basso	Andover	25	Fruit Dealer
	Elia Deferrari	Stoneham	25	At home
" 18	Ralph W. McAllister	Everett	28	Physician
	Maude H. Park	So. Boston	22	At home
" 22	James F. Feeney	Stoneham	26	Shoemaker
	Mary E. Flynn	Stoneham	24	At home
" 22	Joseph Belcher	Stoneham	28	Shoemaker
	Flossie M. Williams	Stoneham	20	At home
" 25	Charles H. Turnbull	Stoneham	27	Trainman
	Angie A. Rogers	Stoneham	27	Cashier
" 28	Charles A. Perry	Stoneham	32	Foreman
	Julia Moody	Waterbury, Vt.	28	At home
" 28	John Edward Dearth	Ashland	26	Brakeman
	Lora Jennie Davee	Ashland	30	Teacher
" 29	James H. Fitzpatrick	Stoneham	28	Shoemaker
	Sarah A. Roberts	Stoneham	20	Shoeworker
" 30	Frank E. Green	Stoneham	23	Messenger
	Bertha Brown	Stoneham	26	Operative

Marriages Registered in the Town of Stoneham for the Year 1905

Place of Birth	Names of Parents	By Whom Married
Ireland Ireland	John and Catharine James and Eunice	James J. Keegan, Priest
Stoneham Stoneham	Dennis and Margaret Mathew and Ellen	Rev. M. J. O'Connor,
Londonderry, N. S. Stoneham	Alexander and Angeline William and Ida F.	Nathaniel B. Fisk, Clergyman
Chelsea Boston	Lloyd and Mary A. Isiah and Annie	William R. Polhaneus, Clergyman
So. Boston Nova Scotia	Frederick M.and EmmaJ. John C. and Maggie	George N. Green, J. P. and Town Clerk
Stoneham Nova Scotia	Henry and Addie T. John and Rachael	W. DeHaven Jones, City Clerk, Melrose
Stoneham Wakefield	Orlando and Eva C. Darius P. and Laura E.	Nathaniel B. Fisk, Clergyman
Italy Italy	Antonio and Maria Luigi and Nicoletta	W. J. Millerick, Priest
Morrisville, N. Y. Boston	William C. and Angela M. Francis E.and Lauretta I.	W. C. McAllister, D.D.
England Stoneham	Austin and Mary E. Michael and Beatrice	Nathaniel B. Fisk, Clergyman
Tarrytown, N. Y. Searsville	Alfred and Katie Henry and Mary F.	Nathaniel B. Fisk, Clergyman
Bernice, Pa. Cambridgeport	Stillman and Georgiena Oliver P. and Fanny E.	B. Alfred Dumm, Clergyman
Concord, N. H. Waterbury, Vt.	Bennett and Mary Justin and Harriet T.	Rev. F. B. Kellogg
Ashland Brownsville. Me.	George J. and Mary Arthur J. and Jennie	B. Alfred Dumm, Minister of the Gospel
Stoneham Salem	Michael and Nora Richard L. and Mary F.	W. J. Millerick, Priest
Stoneham Lawrence	Walter and Annie M. John E. and Bertha J.	Frank A. Starratt, Minister

Marriages Registered in the Town of Stoneham for the Year 1905

Date	Names	Residence	Age	Occupation
Nov. 14	Edward Wallace Coyle	Woburn	22	Insurance Ag't
	Ellen Josephine McNelly	Stoneham	18	At home
" 16	George Albert Whiting	So. Braintree	23	Tel. Operator
	Ruth Angella Golladay	Stoneham	21	At home
" 21	Avedis H. Adzigian	Stoneham	37	Rattan Worker
	Pailadzoo N. Malkhassian	Stoneham	24	At home
" 26	Charles E. Young	Wilmington	22	Carpenter
	Mary Esther Shea	Stoneham	22	Shoe Stitcher
" 28	Francis Edwin Runyan	Springfield, O.	31	Salesman
	Louise B. Trowbridge	Stoneham	32	At home
Dec. 7	Philip A. Robinson	Stoneham	20	Cutter
	Carrie F. Stewart	Melrose	21	At home
" 20	Edward W. Yancey	Stoneham	28	Laborer
	Virginia F. Curry	Stoneham	23	Domestic
" 20	Thomas G. Andrews	Peabody	31	Fireman
	Theresa E. Dickey	Stoneham	31	Nurse
" 22	John Dalton	Stoneham	25	Shoe Cutter
	Amy Elenor Russell	Wakefield	26	Shoe Stitcher
" 24	Arthur F. Hoyt	Stoneham	22	Carpenter
	Jennie May Little	Wakefield	19	At home
" 25	George S. Teele	Stoneham	36	Farmer
	Edith Ivah Moody	Stoneham	26	Domestic
June 4	William B. Darling	Woburn	21	Clerk
	Annie E. Sweetland	No. Reading	16	At home

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Place of Birth	Names of Parents	By Whom Married
Woburn Stoneham	John and Flora Thomas R. and Susan F	M. J. O'Connor, Cath. Priest
So. Braintree Los Angeles, Cal.	George S. and Margaret A. Edward I. and Sophia F.	Edward C. Bass, Clergyman
Armenia Armenia	H. S. and Takoohie Nazar and Ovsanna	A. M. Bool, Clergyman
Wilmington Stoneham	Edward and Emma M. Thomas J. and Mary J.	M. J. O'Connor, Cath. Priest
Springfield, O. Raynham	Francis C. and Georgie Frank H. and Harriet A.	B. Alfred Dumm, Clergyman
Melrose Melrose	George E. and Helen William and Fannie	D. M. Lockrow, Clergyman
Virginia Virginia	Andrew J. and Mary J. Anison and Anna	Frank A. Starratt, Minister
Boston Cornwallis, N. S.	John and Margaret Charles M. and Mary A.	Alvin M. Crane, Clergyman
Scotland Wakefield	James and Isalalla Joseph W. and Annie C.	Hugh A. Heath, Minister
Reading Malden	Lorenzo and Emma F. Willis and Jennie	Frank A. Starratt, Minister
Cambridge Lyndeboro, N. H.	Charles J. and Ellen M. Charles A. and Emma A.	J. Herman Whitmore, Minister
Honolow, H. T. Swampscott	Edmund F. and Helen John B. and Emma J.	Nathaniel B. Fisk, Clergyman

Summary of Marriages

Whole Number	76
Widowers	7
Widows	6
Divorced Females	1
Oldest Male	65
Oldest Female	45
Youngest Male	18
Youngest Female	16

NATIVITY

	MALE	FEMALE
Stoneham	14	14
Other Cities and Towns	46	43
British Provinces	7	11
England	1	1
Ireland	2	3
Scotland	1	
Portugal	1	
Italy	2	2
Armenia	1	1
Russia	1	1
	76	76

Summary of Intentions of Marriages

Whole Number	68

NATIVITY

	MALE	FEMALE
Stoneham	13	16
Other Cities and Towns	40	34
British Provinces	6	10
England	1	1
Ireland	2	3
Portugal	1	
Italy	2	2
Russia	1	1
Armenia	1	1
Scotland	1	
	68	68

Deaths Registered in the Town of Stoneham for the year 1905

Date		Name	Age			Parents Names	Cause of Death
January	1	Patrick F. Kane	43			Patrick and Bridgett	Alcoholism
"	1	Ellen D. Tresilian	69	9	14	Thomas and Ellen	Pneumonia
"	2	Thomas Tresilian	50	11	10	William and Marguerite	Pneumonia
"	5	Mary Farrell	30	4	16	Thomas and Mary	Phthisis
"	15	Herbert P. Lewis	18	1	3	Edmand and Annabell	Congestion of L
"	16	William Tothill	83	11	5	William and Mary	Heart Disease
"	18	Jesse M. Mason	74	10	26	Edmonds and Clarisa	Consumption
"	19	Daniel Willey	70				Shock
"	20	Charlotte Smith	86	10	2	Frank and Mary	Old Age
"	27	Noah Merrifield	54	4	15	Peter and Dorothy	Meningitis
"	28	Richard Horne	70	6	19	Benjamin and Sarah	Cong. of Liver
"	31	Harriet B. Williams	46				Coma
February	1	Maria F. Na La Chapelle		11	17	Isadore and Agnes	Measles
"	2	William A. McDonald	10	6	17	Alexander A. and Annie M.	Potts Disease
"	2	Mary A. White	67	4	10	John and	Sarcoma of Br
"	5	Annie M. Horne	61	8	9	William and Eliza	Pneumonia
"	8	Mary E. Halpin	27	2	10	Thomas and Margaret	Hemorrhage
"	9	Sylvia R. Parks			26	Francis E. and Etta R.	Convulsions
"	14	Sarah N. Moers	86	4	9	Francis and Hannah	Bright's Disease
"	17	James L. Locke	82	8	1	Reuben and Mary	Old Age
"	24	Richard Francis Conway	1	1		Dennis and Mary	Hydro Cephalas
"	28	Lucy L. Hayes	83	7	16	Ethan A. and Lucy	Old Age
March	6	Mary E. Houghton	56	6	1	Nathaniel and Lucretia	Cerebral Embol.
"	11	Eva McKenzie	23	1	9	William A. and Delma	Tuberculosis
"	14	Charles E. Payne	30	6	9		Pleurisy
"	18	Eli Boudreau	52	5	19		Consumption
"	19	Johanna Geary	70			John and	Aortic Stenosis

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Date		Name	Age			Parents Names	Cause of Death
March	20	John H. Bowman	54	2	25	Edmund P. and Delia H.	Phthisis
"	23	Annie E. Hibbard	26	6	24	John C. and Mary P.	Consumption
"	24	Hugh E. McEwen	79			Hugh and Catharine	Senility
April	1	James R. Jamieson	43		16	John E. and Elizabeth J.	Consumption
"	4	George Winthrop Abbott	1	3		Thomas P. and Addie M.	Marasmus
"	8	Mary L. White	71	5	25	James W. and Sallie	Cancer
"	8	Lucy J. Griswold	71			Calvin and Lucy	Cancer
"	12	Gordon R. Whiston		3	19	Frank and Jennie M.	Tabes Mesent
"	14	Mary O'Brien	68			John and Mary	Apoplexy
"	15	Ellen Quinlan	76			Edward and Ellen	Angina Pec.
"	16	Charles N. Wood	70	9	1	Eliphalet and Lydia	Paralysis
"	21	Beaman C Smith	59			and Jane	Marasmus
"	23	Grace H. Meriam	20	10		Thomas G. and Mary	Peritonitis
"	24	Mary A. Leach	45				Tuberculosis
"	25	Annie Theresa Gallagher	8	6	12	Frank and Annie	Enteritis
"	27	Gladys L. Parkhurst	6	4	29	Edward M. and Mabel	Tuberculosis
May	2	Charles B Melvin	80	11	28	Charles and Susan	Old Age
"	3	Edward Outram	73	1	18		Pneumonia
"	4	Georgianna M. Dike	49	7	14	George L. W. and Frances	Trombosis of Lat.
"	5	Martha A. Messer	80	11	29	Aaron and Lydia	Heart Disease
"	7	Irving F. Bickford	65			Charles and Mary	Jaundice
"	15	Oliver Winship	86	10	19	Thaddeus and Mary	Chronic Cystitis
"	25	Alonson W. Caswell	74	2	11	Zebina and Dorcas Ann	Per. Anaemia
"	28	Oliver Pasho	68		16	Elisha and Susan	Heart Disease
June	3	John S. Briggs	81		9	John and Hannah	Asthma
"	8	Francis E. Hartwell	63	9	28	Otis and Sarah	Bright's Disease
"	21	Thomas T. Tucker	69	6	9	John W. and Sally	Heart Disease

"	22	Melissa E. Jenkins	63	3	16	John and Mahelley	Heart Disease
"	25	Mabel A. Frederick	38	6	29	Caleb and Mary B.	Cancer
"	30	Arthur Francis Tenney		6	19	John F. and Cora E.	Tuberculosis
July	5	Samuel Ettinger	39			Louis and Mellie	Poisoning
"	8	Mary A. Hacking	28	6	9	Patrick and Ellen	Heat Ex.
"	8	George Henry Baker	75			Henry and Margaret	Apoplexy
"	11	Henry C. Carbee	72	11	4	Thomas and Olive	Bright's Disease
"	12	William A. Morrison	35	4	18	William and Elizabeth	Tuberculosis
"	24	Jeremiah Sullivan	66	1		John and Ann	Dysentery
"	29	Maria B. Ramsell	79	8	9	Ephraim and Mary	Acute Entero Col.
August	1	Nora Murray	59	8		James and Catharine	Bronchitis
"	2	Edwin Pinkham	79			Mathew	Mitral Regur.
"	2	Caroline A. Parkhurst	61		5	Calvin and Martha	Tuberculosis
"	6	Sophia R. Dakin	50	3	12		Sarcoma of Jaw
"	6	Samantha H. Swain	88	2		Stephen and Dorothy	Dysentery
"	10	Julia P. Buck	73	3	6	Eathan E. and Lucy	Dysentery
"	15	Frances Porter	1	2	10	Arthur B. and Annie H.	Acute Ent. Col.
"	16	Winona Grover		1	22	Webster B. and Bell	Marasmus
"	19	Sarah M. Delano	55	1	7	Micah and Mary J.	Dysentery
"	21	Patrick Kelley	73			Thomas and Catharine	Shock
"	22	Henrietta L. Symmes	65	5	17	Lot and Abigail	Bright's Disease
"	23	Emily T. Oppen	32	5	26	John and Delia	Tuberculosis
"	24	Joseph J. McHale	1	3	23	Patrick J. and Nora	Enteritis
"	25	Josephine A. Fallon	6			William J. and Nora	Appendicitis
"	29	Vienna F. Berry	59		25	Henry and Druzella	Apoplexy
September	11	Lydia A. Andrews	61	9	11	John and Hannah	Epileptic Coma
"	24	Angie M. Dickerson	60	1	21	Austin and Sally M.	Diabetes
"	28	Ruth L. Miles	43	2	25	Adam and	Sarcoma
October	5	Ann Finn	64	9	5	Bernard and Nanzie	Apoplexy
"	8	Eliza Nolan	63	3	28	Richard and	Phthisis
"	11	Sarah F. Glidden	55	11		John and Sarah	Cancer
"	12	Herbert D. Johnson	72	10	16	Spencer and Hannah	Migraine
"	14	John Hutcheon	70	11	18	John and Ann	Cancer
"	16	Amy C. Ham	39			Benjamin L. and Mary P.	Pneumonia

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Date	Name	Age			Parents Names	Cause of Death
October 17	Haskell S. Baxter	34	5	9	Augustus G. and Helen E.	Tuberculosis
" 20	Paul Danahy	3	2	25	Robert and Margaret	Pneumonia
" 20	Peter Steuerwald	52	9	26	Peter and Anna M.	Rheumatism
" 27	Myrtle Sleeth	14	7	21	Otho W. and Helena	Meningitis
" 27	Hiram Marston	94		9		Mitral Insuf.
November 2	Flora E. Clark	54	4	18	James D. and Susan	Pneumonia
" 14	Harriet Hannaford	63	4	11	Hiram and Lavinia	Pneumonia
" 16	Dorothy R. Carl	41			Benjamin R. and Jerusha	Tuberculosis
" 19	John S. Loucks	76	3	15	Peter and Abigail	Bright's Disease
" 22	Mary A. Jennings	78	8	6	Samuel B. and Olive	Bronchitis
" 23	Hystin A. Barton	2	9	7	Charles and Ogda	Burns
" 27	Abby Moynihan	78			John and Mary	Apoplexy
" 29	Walter Hunt	38	4	3	George W. and Louisa A.	Cancer
December 4	Sarah A. Snow	67	9	23	William D. and Almenia	Apoplexy
" 13	William Lloyd	65		5	John and Harriet	Cancer
" 19	Jonathan Hay	91	8	5	Jonathan and Betsy	Heart Disease
" 23	Terrence F. Byron	51	3		Michael and Ellen	Pneumonia
" 23	George Green	86		2	Nathan and Susanna	Myocarditis
" 28	Henry Merrick Whitaker	75	10	13	Stephen and	Hypertrophy
" 31	John A. Ritchie	21	11	20	Richard and Mary	Drowning

Summary of Deaths

Whole Number 117

Average Age of 59 Males 50

Average Age of 58 Females 47

	MALES	FEMALES
Number Under 10 Years of Age	13	10
" Between 10 and 20 Years of Age	2	1
" " 20 30 " " "	1	5
" " 30 40 " " "	5	4
" " 40 50 " " "	1	6
" " 50 60 " " "	7	7
" " 60 70 " " "	7	15
" " 70 80 " " "	14	6
" " 80 90 " " "	7	4
" " 90 100 " " "	2	
	59	58

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Town Meetings

THURSDAY, January 5, 1905.

Walter S. Keene was elected Moderator and sworn by the Town Clerk.

Voted, To appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars for the purpose of destroying the nests of the Brown Tail Moths and the eggs of the Gypsy Moth upon the shade and ornamental trees in the public streets and public lands of the town; on condition that the Tree Warden shall employ experts to do the work.

Voted, That Edgar L. Patch, James H. Whitmore, Winthrop C. Whitcher, Daniel D. Peabody, and Charles J. Emerson be a committee to co-operate with the Tree Warden in carrying out the foregoing vote.

Resolved, That it is the sentiment of the citizens of the Town of Stoneham in town meeting assembled, that the Legislature of the State now in session, take action at the earliest convenient time, to procure and introduce the parasitic enemies of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths, as the only practical means of fighting these pests; and we would request our Representative and Senator to do all in their power to bring about this action.

Voted, That the suits of Benjamin P. Keene and James Healey for damages, and the claim of Mrs. Addie Abbott, be referred to the Selectmen, with authority to settle or defend the same, as they deem for the best interests of the town.

Voted, To adjourn.

Town Meeting

MONDAY, March 6, 1905.

Walter S. Keene was elected Moderator and sworn by the Town Clerk.

Walter Paige, Franklin B. Jenkins, Clarence S. Lynde, William L. Crane, William Garside, Charles P. Brawley, Alfred T. Peacock, and John W. Kelley, Ballot Clerks and Tellers, having been appointed by the Selectmen, as required by law, were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk.

The ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks, who receipted for the same, the ballot box opened, inspected, and locked, the register set at 0, and the keys given in charge of Constable Walter H. George, after which the polls were declared open to receive ballots under Article 2 of the warrant.

Voted, That when this meeting adjourn, it be until Wednesday evening, March 8, 1905, to meet in Armory Hall at 7.30 o'clock.

Voted, That no action be taken on articles of the warrant, excepting Articles 1 and 2, until the adjourned meeting voted to be held Wednesday, March 8, 1905, at 7.30 o'clock P. M.

Voted, To close the polls at four o'clock in the afternoon.

At nine o'clock in the forenoon the ballot box refused to work, and another without a register was substituted, at which time the register indicated that five hundred and seventy-six ballots had been cast, as ascertained by the Town Clerk.

The Moderator appointed as additional Tellers to assort and count the ballots, the following, who were sworn by the Town Clerk

Orin C. Young, T. Fred Emery, Charles E. Chesley, Ralph E. Tarbett, Harry L. Kenson, Myron P. Peffers, Bernard W. Halpin, John P. Kelley, Joseph F. Brassard, Martin F. McDonough, Harold W. Whiteman, Charles L. Bournival.

By unanimous consent of the Moderator and Town Clerk, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon the ballot box was opened and ballots taken therefrom for the purpose of counting.

Three "Holt Counting Apparatus" were used in counting the ballots, two Republican and two Democratic Tellers assigned to each.

At four o'clock in the afternoon, in accordance with the vote previously taken, the Moderator declared the polls closed under Article 2.

The number of names checked of persons having received ballots, as counted by the Tellers, was

Males	1220
Females	3

The number of ballots given out by the Ballot Clerks, was

Males	1220
Females	3

The number of ballots returned to the Town Clerk not used, was

Males	648
Females	147

The number of names checked of persons having voted, as counted by the Tellers, was

Males	1220
Females	3

The number of ballots taken from the ballot box as counted by the Moderator, was 1223

All the ballots cast having been assorted and counted by the Tellers appointod for that purpose, declaration of the same was made as follows:

Whole number of ballots cast....	1223
Males	1220
Females	3

TOWN TREASURER

Fred E. Nickerson	816
Blanks	407

SELECTMEN

Peter J. Birmingham.....	445
Harry E. Hersam.....	773
Joseph W. Holden.....	613
Arthur N. Newhall.....	584
Stanwood G. Sweetser	579
Blanks.....	675

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS

Walter S. Keene	510
Henry A. Smith.....	575
Blanks.....	138

ASSESSORS

Wilson A. Bartlett.....	920
John Best	918
George W. Newhall	926
Blanks.....	905

OVERSEERS OF POOR

Walter C. Bancroft	637
Wilson A. Bartlett.....	719
John G. Beede.....	696
Frank H. Reynolds.....	381
Frank A. Walker.....	405
Blanks.....	831

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Sylvester A. Lawrence	1008
Blanks	215

PARK COMMISSIONER

Herbert P. Howe	814
Blanks	409

CONSTABLES

Walter H. George	697
Sumner H. Green	757
Lemuel S. Harding	462
John C. C. Small	806
Blanks	947

AUDITORS

Fred H. Cnase	821
Thomas S. Ireland	843
Blanks	782

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

Sarah A. Lynde	750
Charles E. Stevens	780
Blanks	916

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Winthrop C. Whitcher	744
Harry E. Hersam	1
Herbert H. Richardson	1
Blanks	477

TRUSTEES OF LINDENWOOD CEMETERY

Charles W. Messer	849
Blanks	374

TREE WARDEN

Walter H. George	857
Blanks	366

BOARD OF HEALTH, 3 Years

George A. Hinchcliffe	746
Blanks	477

BOARD OF HEALTH, 1 Year

Martyn D. Sheehan	820
Blanks	403

"Shall Licenses be granted for the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in this Town?"

Yes	355
No	701
Blanks	167
Majority for No License	346

Voted, To adjourn until Wednesday, March 8, 1905, to meet in Armory Hall, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

Adjourned Town Meeting

WEDNESDAY, March 8, 1905.

Meeting called to order by Moderator Walter S. Keene.

ARTICLE 3

Chose, Harry E. Hersam, Joseph W. Holden and Arthur N. Newhall, Fence Viewers.

Chose, Charles W. Messer and Frank H. Reynolds, Undertakers.

Chose, Melzar Eaton, Measurer of Leather.

Chose, Walter Paige, Measurer of Wood and Bark.

Chose, Wilson A. Bartlett, Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Voted, That the appointment of a Pound Keeper, Field Driver and Public Weigher be left with the Selectmen.

Voted, To accept the reports of Town Officers and Committees as presented in print to the town, under date of December 31, 1904.

The Committee chosen January 5, 1905, to co-operate with the Tree Warden in extermination of the Brown Tail and the Gypsy Moth, made the following

REPORT

STONEHAM, March 8, 1905.

Report of the Committee, on extermination of the moth pest, chosen January 5, 1905.

Your Committee held a meeting with the Tree Warden at the Public Library on the tenth day of January, Prof. E. L. Patch presiding. W. C. Whitcher was chosen Secretary.

In accordance with and to carry out the vote of the town, the following resolutions were adopted:

STONEHAM, January 10, 1905.

At a joint meeting of the Tree Warden and the special Committee held at the Public Library, Tuesday evening, January 10, 1905, called under the following votes passed at the town meeting legally held on the fifth day of January A. D. 1905. It was resolved as follows: Whereas, under the following votes, to wit:

Voted, To appropriate the sum of one thousand ($1000) dollars for the purpose of destroying the nests of the Brown Tail Moth and the eggs of the Gypsy Moth upon the shade and ornamental trees in the public streets and public lands of the town, on condition that the Tree Warden shall employ experts to do the work.

Voted, That Edgar L. Patch, James H. Whitmore, Winthrop C. Whitcher, Daniel D. Peabody and Charles J. Emerson be a committee to co-operate with the Tree Warden in carrying out the foregoing vote.

We are called upon to take action,

1. Resolved, That the money appropriated under the vote is not available unless experts are employed.

2. Resolved, That the Tree Warden is the proper legal officer to engage such experts.

3. Resolved, That the Tree Warden should keep the time of such experts actually employed in the work, and a list of the trees cleansed, and their location, and file a copy of such statement with the Town Clerk each Saturday night. While not essential, it would be desirable to have such statement furnish an estimate of the number of egg clusters of the Gypsy Moth destroyed, and the number of nests of the Brown Tail Moth removed from the trees named.

4. Resolved, That all payments to the experts should be made upon orders signed by the Tree Warden and other proper town officials, issued weekly.

5. Resolved, That the firm of U. S. G. Sanborn & Co. of Winchester, Mass., be and are approved as suitable experts in the meaning of the town vote.

6. Resolved, That it is deemed advisable to engage this firm to destroy the egg clusters of the Gypsy Moth and remove the nests of the Brown Tail Moth at a charge of thirty-five cents per hour for tree men, the working day to be of nine hours; it being understood that all apparatus and supplies are to be furnished by the said firm at no additional cost to the town, and that the town shall have the use of the team of Sanborn & Co. free of charge for this work.

7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding four dollars per day, shall be paid under the direction of the Tree Warden, for all ground work in following the tree men.

8. Resolved, That the Tree Warden give all orders for work to Mr. U. S. G. Sanborn, superintendent of the U. S. G. Sanborn Co., or in his absence to such foreman as he may designate.

9. Resolved, That work should be commenced inside one week and enough men employed to prosecute it vigorously, it being understood that the above named firm shall keep six expert tree men at work.

10. Resolved, That the trees on Main street, from Marble street to Elm street, should first be cleaned; then the trees on or about the schoolhouse yards; then other tall trees not easily cleansed by ordinary means.

11. Resolved, That it is understood that the Tree Warden will see that all Brown Tail nests removed are burned.

12. Resolved, That a copy of these proceedings be furnished the Town Clerk, the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, the Tree Warden, Mr. U. S. G. Sanborn, and copies retained by the Chairman and Secretary of the Committee.

Certified to by,

EDGAR L. PATCH,
JAMES H. WHITMORE,
D. D. PEABODY,
WINTHROP C. WHITCHER,
C. J. EMERSON.
Special Committee.

Accepted and agreed to by,

WALTER H. GEORGE, Tree Warden
U. S. G. SANBORN, Supt. of the U. S. G. Sanborn Company.

In accordance with these resolutions, a contract was made by the Tree Warden with Mr. U. S. G. Sanborn, and work was begun Monday, Jan. 16. The trees upon the following streets have been cleaned: Main from Marble to Elm; Central from the Square to Elm; Elm to the Catholic Cemetery; Waverly street; Pomeworth by the High School; William from Pomeworth to B. & M. R. R.; streets adja-

cent to East School; all cross streets from Central to Main; Summer, Middle, Gerry and Hancock from Main to Pine: Maple from Main to Woburn line; part of Lincoln and Warren, and all of Benton; closing work on Warren street. Besides these streets, all the school yards are cleaned.

About 1200 trees have been cleaned besides taking Gypsy egg clusters from about 150 poles. It is estimated that 432,000 nests of the Brown Tail Moth have been de stroyed, and 2000 egg clusters of the Gypsy Moth.

Of the one thousand dollars appropriated, all but about six dollars had been expended Saturday night, March 4.

Your Committee recommend the appropriation of one thousand dollars more to complete the work.

Respectfully submitted for the Committee,

W. C. WHITCHER, Secretary.

Voted, To accept the report of the Committee on extermination of the Brown Tail and Gypsy Moths.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars for the purpose of destroying the eggs of the Gypsy Moth and the nests of the Brown Tail Moth on the trees within the limits of the highways and public grounds of the town, on condition that the Tree Warden employ experts to do the work.

Voted, That Edgar L. Patch, Winthrop C. Whitcher, Daniel D. Peabody, Charles J. Emerson, and James H. Whitmore be a committee to co-operate with the Tree Warden in extermination of the Brown Tail Moth and Gypsy Moth.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the following sums to defray town charges for the year ensuing:

Poor Department, receipts and.....	$5000.00
Military Aid.....	100.00
Breaking Snow.....	2,350.00
Street Lighting.....	4,200.00

Old Burying Ground	$35.00
Interest, unexpended balance $299.18 and $6,100	6,399.18
Hydrants	1000.00
Printing	400.00
Lindenwood Cemetery, unexpended balance and receipts	252.96
Town Notes	10,500.00
School Bonds	3,000.00
Highways, repairs $5,000, Franklin street $7,500	12,500.00
Concrete, repairs $300, new $75	375.00
Street Railing	300.00
Sewer Maintenance	1,500.00
Fire Department	5,200.00
Salaries, Selectmen	300.00
" Overseers of the Poor	400.00
" Town Clerk	700.00
" Clerk of Board of Public Works	300.00
" Registrars of Voters	125.00
" Board of Public Works	300.00
" Assessors	900.00
" Auditors	300.00
" Tax Collector	650.00
" Town Treasurer	500.00
" Water Registrar	200.00
" Moderator	25.00
" Board of Health	150.00
" Sealer of Weights and Measures	100.00
" Inspector of Plumbing	300.00
Miscellaneous, unexpended balance $307.02 and $3,300	3,607.02
Police	3,000.00
Schools, unexpended balance $700 and $26,500	27,200.00

Soldiers' Relief	$3,000.00
Rent	720.00
Janitor	150.00
Shade Trees	250.00
Care and Decoration of Soldiers' Graves	350.00
Public Library, receipts from Dog Licences and	1,800.00

Voted, That for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the town of Stoneham, in anticipation of the taxes of the present municipal year, the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow from time to time, with the approval of a majority of the Board of Selectmen, a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate eighty thousand dollars, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town therefor, payable within one year from the time the loan is made. Any debt or debts incurred by a loan or loans to the town under this vote shall be paid from the said taxes of the present municipal year.

Voted, To authorize the Collector of Taxes to use all means of collecting taxes, which the Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

Voted, To accept the list of jurors as revised and amended.

LIST OF JURORS

NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE
Anderson, Charles H.	Shoemaker	110 Summer street
Ahern, William H.	Insurance Agent	26½ Gould street
Alden, John A.	Shoemaker	21 Gould street
Baldwin, Micah B.	Harness Maker	13 Green street
Bancroft, Rodney N.	Farmer	31 Main street
Briggs, William H.	Shoemaker	8½ Common street
Blodgett, Charles F.	Insurance Agent	47 Lincoln street
Brown, Byron C.	Shoemaker	Main street
Burbank, E. Walker	Shoemaker	24 Marble street
Barnes, Frank	Shoemaker	43 Gould street
Burnham, Victor R.	Clerk	1 Lincoln street
Brown, Charles	Farmer	153 Main street

NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE
Butler, William	Laborer	74 Pond street
Child, Curtis M.	Shoemaker	10 Chestnut street
Crane, William L.	Shoemaker	116 Franklin street
Carr, Charles H.	Farmer	46 High street
Carr, John W.	Teamster	42 High street
Chapman, Rufus B.	Water Dealer	86 Spring street
Cutter, Ammi	Gardener	4½ Pleasant street
Caldwell, Charles B.	Farmer	223 Main street
Carter, Charles H. W.	Stock Fitter	21 Green street
Dodge, E. Porter	Janitor	383 Main street
Durfee, Orange M.	Shoemaker	6 Hancock street
Dike, Henry	Shoe Cutter	106 Summer street
Dane, Henry H.	Janitor	11 Spring street
Emerson, Edward	Meat Cutter	43 Warren street
Emerson, John H.	Retired	24 Pleasant street
Emery, T. Fred	Shoemaker	2 Hancock street
Delano, Horace H.	Cabinet Maker	14 Montvale avenue
Finnegan, Stephen P.	Grocer	69 Franklin street
Furbish, Milburn	Cabinet Maker	39 Warren street
Frederick, Alonzo L.	Shoe Cutter	11 Benton street
Fox, James	Farmer	150 Franklin street
Gilmore, John S.	Shoe Stock	47 Warren street
George, Walter H.	Carpenter	387 Main street
Green, Arthur H.	Box Maker	34 High street
Green, Sumner H.	Policeman	61 Pleasant street
Gerry, Lyman	Retired	20 Gerry street
Gray, Wesley N.	Roofer	7 Linden street
Garside, William	Machinist	1 Lincoln street
Hunt, George H.	Shoemaker	4 Wright street
Hawkins, Lorenzo D.	Retired	1 Cedar avenue
Hibbard, John C.	Carpenter	219 Main street
Huntress, Robert C.	Real Estate	10 Lincoln street
Howard, Henry S.	Manager	16 Lindenwood road
Hurd, Mathew L. P.	Stock Fitter	23 Hancock street
Halpin, Bernard W.	Shoemaker	8 Chestnut street
Jones, Daniel S.	Retired	5 Mary's lane
Jones, Perez C.	Retired	13 Cedar avenue
Jennings, Charles E.	Shoe Stock	27 Spring street
Johnson, Benjamin F.	Bookkeeper	55 Spring street
Jenkins, Franklin B.	Janitor	33 Chestnut street
Kenson, George E.	Painter	7 Cedar avenue
Kelley, John W.	Shoemaker	14½ Emerson street

NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE
Kerns, Fred E.	Shoe Cutter	18 Montvale avenue
Lamson, John F.	Shoemaker	32 Gould street
Lewis, Otis J.	Flagman	2 Cottage street
Lincoln, James M.	Shoemaker	75 Elm street
Lawrence, Sylvester A.	Shoe Cutter	13 Highland avenue
Longmore, Warren H.	Die Maker	4 Wright street court
Moulton, George L.	Shoemaker	75 Spring street
Moulton, Joseph A.	Shoe Cutter	9 Hersam street
Meade, Maurice	Retired	84 Main street
Munger, Levi J.	Retired	114 Central street
Nichols, Leonard N.	Shoemaker	17 Washington avenue
Nowell, Joshua T.	Real Estate	10 Harrison street
O'Brien, Michael H.	Mason	78 Summer street
Perry, George E.	Farmer	26 Pleasant street
Pike, Fred W.	Meat Cutter	25½ Wright street
Paige, Walter,	Retired	12 Gerry street
Parsons, Charles H.	Shoemaker	8 Wright street court
Peacock, Alfred T.	Shoe Cutter	Off Montvale avenue
Patchett, Herbert	Shoemaker	73 Franklin street
Reynolds, Frank H.	Barber	25 Summer street
Rogers, William	Shoe Cutter	5 Pine street
Richardson, Addison W.	Shoemaker	13 Washington avenue
Richardson, Herbert C.	Electrical Worker	80 Central street
Ramsdell, Albert R.	Shoemaker	33 Perkins street
Rhoades, Alfred P.	Retired	5 Winthrop street
Roberts, John S.	Retired	3 Winthrop street
Roberts, Isreal R.	Shoemaker	62 Hancock street
Robbins, Rowland H.	Retired	41 Warren street
Russell, Charles O.	Shoemaker	174 Main street
Sturtevant, George E.	Fire Department	11 Pearl street
Sheridan, Robert E.	Caterer	283 Main street
Swain, Joseph L.	Shoemaker	14 Park Street
Small, John C. C.	Policeman	55 Gould street
Scally, James J.	Policeman	15 Flint avenue
Smith, James G.	Engineer	9 Chestnut street
Steele, Fred	Shoe Cutter	6½ Hersam street
Sullivan, Timothy J.	Janitor	17 Pine street
Thornton, Thomas M.	Teamster	7 Pearl street
Whittemore, Frank P.	Manager	32 Franklin street
Wiley, Joseph E.	Shoemaker	23 Gould street
Weston, Milton P.	Shoe Cutter	15 Congress street
Weston, Samuel D.	Gardener	23 Marble street

NAME	OCCUPATION	RESIDENCE
White, Luther	Retired	4 Tremont street
Webber, Oliver P.	Retired	46 Elm street
Whitney, George W.	Shoe Cutter	40 Central street
Young, Edward J.	Shoe Cutter	22 Warren street

Voted, To grant the free use of Armory Hall to Post 75, G. A. R., six evenings in the coming year, when not otherwise engaged.

Voted, That all taxes not exceeding three dollars in amount, shall be due and payable on demand. On all taxes exceeding three dollars in amount, one and one-half per cent discount shall be allowed, if paid on or before the tenth day of September; if paid on or before the tenth day of October, one per cent discount shall be allowed; if paid on or before the tenth day of November, one half of one per cent discount shall be allowed, and all taxes exceeding three dollars in amount shall be due and payable on the tenth day of December of the current year. On and after December tenth interest shall be charged on all unpaid taxes at the rate of five per centum per annum. On the fifteenth day of February following, the Collector shall proceed to collect taxes of all delinquents according to law. Interest and discount shall be reckoned on even dollars.

Voted, To water the following streets the year ensuing: Main street, from Hancock street to Elm street; Franklin street, from Central Square to a point sixty feet east of Pine street; Central street, from Central Square to Pomeworth street; Winter street; Church street; Common street; Tidd street; and Montvale avenue from Main street to the westerly line of land of Georgianna Boyce.

Voted, That the assessment on abuttors for watering streets as voted, be three cents per lineal foot.

Voted, To raise and appropriate the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars for the purpose of equipping the new

hose wagon purchased last year for the Fire Department, with chemical appliances and all necessary apparatus to make the same effective as a Chemical Engine.

Voted, To build a concrete sidewalk on the east side of Chestnut street where none now exists, under the provision of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the Revised Laws, the expense to be paid from the appropriation of $75 for new work, and to repair the existing walks.

Voted, To build a gravel and crushed stone sidewalk on George and North streets, on one side of the same, from the corner of Main and George streets westerly to the corner of North and Forest streets, and to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars for the same.

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Collincote street, from the end of the existing main therein near the residence of James Grant, northerly and westerly to Main street, and in and through Main street, connecting with the main at Collincote street, northerly to Broadway ; providing however that a guarantee of 4 per cent shall be made by water takers, to the town, on the cost of construction of said water mains, before work is commenced on the same.

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Oriental court, from Pleasant street to Gould street, provided however that a guarantee of 4 per cent on the cost of construction of the same shall be given to the town by the water takers, before the work is commenced on the same.

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Forest street, from the end of the existing main therein near the residence of Perley A. Dyar, southerly to or near the residence of Walter N. Bean ; provided however that a guarantee of 4 per cent on the cost of construction shall be given to the town by the water takers, before the work is commenced on the same.

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Main street,

from North street northerly to the Reading town line; providing however that a guarantee of 4 per cent on the cost of construction shall be given to the town by the water takers, before the work is commenced on the same.

Voted, That the Treasurer be authorized, with the approval of the Board of Public Works, to sell four water bonds, the issue of which has been authorized by the town, for the extension of water mains in Main, Collincote and Forest streets, and in Oriental court, as voted under articles 23, 24, 26, 28 and 29 of this warrant.

Voted, To locate hydrants as follows: One on Collincote street near Steele street; one on Main street near Broadway; and one on Montvale avenue, near Lindenwood station, and to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for the same.

Voted, That the Engineers of the Fire Department be a Committee to purchase the equipment for the new hose wagon voted under Article 15 of this warrant.

Voted, That Winthrop C. Whitcher, Hon. William B. Stevens and George N. Green, be a committee to take into consideration the advisability of purchasing horses, equipments and suitable quarters for the same, for the Fire Department and other purposes, to report at a future meeting.

Voted, That the Moderator appoint a Finance Committee for the year ensuing.

Under the authority of the foregoing vote, the Moderator appointed the following committee: Hon. William B. Stevens, David T. Strange, William D. Brackett, Stephen P. Finnegan, Arthur F. Hayward, Bernard H. Cogan, Edgar L. Patch, William P. Fletcher, William B. Snow.

Voted, That a committee of five, to consider the expediency of conforming to the new state law in regard to carrying by the town its own insurance, and if possible establishing a sinking fund against loss by fire to our public

property, be appointed by the Moderator, two of that committee to be our Representative James A. Jones and Senator Sidney A. Hill; said committee to report before May first if possible.

Under authority of the foregoing vote, the Moderator appointed as that committee, Sidney A. Hill, James A. Jones, George A. Hinchcliffe, Harry E. Hersam and Fred E. Nickerson.

Voted, That the matter of an electric arc light at the junction of Warren and Marble streets, be referred to the Selectmen.

Voted, That the matter of locating incandescent electric lights on Summer street, Summerhill street, Oak street, and Warren street, be referred to the Selectmen.

Voted, To construct a sewer in and through Spring street, from Green street to Eustis street and appropriate the sum of eight hundred dollars for the same.

Voted, To construct a sewer or drain, or both, in and through Franklin street, beginning in said street opposite the residence of John Walsh the florist and extending along said street to the Melrose line; and appropriate the sum of one thousand three hundred and fifty dollars for the same.

Voted, To construct a sewer or drain, or both, in and through Isabella street, beginning at the intersection of Columbus avenue, so called, and said Isabella street, and extending along said street to its intersection with Franklin street, there to connect with such sewer or drain as may be constructed in said Franklin street; and appropriate the sum of four hundred and seventy dollars for the same.

Voted, That the Treasurer be authorized with the approval of the Board of Public Works, to sell three sewer bonds, the issue of which has been authorized by the town for the extension or construction of the sewers or drains in

and through Spring, Franklin and Isabella streets, as voted under Articles 33, 34 and 35 of this warrant.

Voted, That the Moderator appoint a committee of three to take into consideration the lowering of Gould Meadow Brook, from Gould street to Pleasant street, laying a tile or brick drain to conduct the water of said brook between said points, to report at a future meeting.

Under the authority of the foregoing vote, the Moderator appointed as that committee, William H. Sprague, J. Alden Stockwell and Willard Massey.

Voted, To construct a drain in Summer street from Pine street to the ditch east of Pond street, and that the expense of the same be paid from the highway appropriation.

Voted, That the matter of establishing and maintaining a yard for stable and storage purposes for the Highway and Sewer Departments, by purchase or otherwise, be referred to the Board of Public Works, to report at a future meeting.

Voted, That the Board of Public Works and the Engineers of the Fire Department, be a committee to locate hydrants as voted under Article 30 of the warrant.

Voted, To adjourn.

Recount of Ballots Cast for Arthur N. Newhall and Stanwood G. Sweetser for the office of Selectman, March 6, 1905

PETITION

STONEHAM, MASS., March 7, 1905.

TO THE REGISTRARS OF VOTERS OF STONEHAM, MASS.

We, the undersigned, being legally qualified voters in the Town of Stoneham, having reason to believe, and do believe that the records of the election officers of the annual

town meeting held Monday, March 6, 1905, are erroneous in the return made for Selectman, that Arthur N. Newhall received less votes than were accredited to him, and that Stanwood G. Sweetser received more votes than were accredited to him, and for the reasons given above, do hereby petition for a recount of the votes cast for Arthur N. Newhall and Stanwood G. Sweetser for the office of Selectman, cast Monday, March 6, 1905, and we believe a recount of the ballots will elect Stanwood G. Sweetser to the office instead of Arthur N. Newhall as declared.

Signed,

CHARLES R. FARRIN, AND NINE OTHERS.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

STONEHAM, MASS., March 8, 1905.

Personally appeared Charles R. Farrin and made oath that the above statement by him subscribed is true, to the best of his knowledge and belief, before me.

GEORGE N. GREEN, Justice of the Peace.

RECOUNT

In conformity with Section 267 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws, the several candidates named in the foregoing petition having been notified of the time and place of such recount, the Registrars of Voters met in the Selectmen's office, Friday, the tenth day of March, A. D. 1905, for the purpose of recounting the ballots as petitioned for.

The several candidates were represented as follows, as shown by duly written certificates on file in the Town Clerk's office. Arthur N. Newhall by James H. Murphy; Stanwood G. Sweetser by Walter S. Keene. Fred H. Chase was appointed by the Registrars of Voters as clerk to assist in counting and recording the votes; the blocks of ballots were opened, counted and recorded, and returned to their respective envelopes, resealed and properly endorsed

and the following declaration of the result of the recount made: Arthur N. Newhall had five hundred and eighty-five; Stanwood G. Sweetser had five hundred and seventy-six.

And it was declared that the election of Arthur N. Newhall for Selectman for the year ensuing, as announced Monday, March 6, 1905, stands.

Town Meeting.

STONEHAM, Wednesday, July 26, 1905.

Charles Thompson was elected Moderator and sworn by the Town Clerk.

REPORT

of Committee to consider the expediency of conforming to the new law in regard to carrying by the town its own insurance.

It may be a little beyond the province of your Committee, but after careful consideration, we deem it extremely unwise for the town not to insure its public buildings against which there is some ontstanding indebtedness, as a loss of this property means not only the creation of a new debt to replace it, but also the payment of the original debt.

The town owns practically all of its public buildings free and clear, excepting the new High School.

We would therefore recommend that,

The town insures in the regular way for the protection of loss by fire, its New High School Building to an amount of not less than eighty per cent of its value, and also, as a slight protection against loss by fire of its other public builldings, the town does adopt Chap. 191 of the Acts of

1905, and does create a sinking fund as provided by said law.

Signed,
SIDNEY A. HILL,
JAMES A. JONES,
GEORGE A. HINCHCLIFFE,
HARRY E. HERSAM,
FRED E. NICKERSON,
Committee.

Voted, To accept the report of the Committee on insurance.

Voted, To accept and adopt Article X, Sections 109, 110, and 111, of the report of the Committee on revision of the By-Laws, as a By-Law of the town, which is as follows:

JUNK AND SECOND HAND ARTICLES

SECTION 109. Sections 29, 30, 31, 32 of Chapter 102 of the Revised Laws are hereby adopted.

HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS

SECTION 110. Every hawker and peddler exposing for sale or selling meats, provisions, fruits, butter, cheese, eggs and all other food products, shall record his name with the Board of Health, who shall assign him a number, upon such terms and conditions as said Board of Health may determine. The said articles shall be so carried and conveyed that they shall not tend to injure or annoy the public health or comfort, and only in vehicles or receptacles which do not leak. Every such vehicle or receptacle shall have the number and name of the person selling painted thereon in letters and figures at least two inches in size. The said vehicle or receptacle shall be kept neat and clean, within and without, and shall at all times be subject to inspection

of the Board of Health or its agent, at such time and place as may be designated by said Board.

Any person violating any provision of this section, shall be punished by a fine of not less than ($1) and not exceeding twenty dollars ($20), except when upon complaint of the Board of Health or its agent, any person is convicted a second time of having an unclean vehicle or receptacle, such person shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty dollars ($20), and not exceeding fifty dollars ($50).

Section 111. Every hawker and peddler applying for a license shall first present a certificate signed by the Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Voted, That the By-Laws, as presented in print, excepting Article X, which has been accepted at this meeting, be presented to the annual meeting in March next for consideration.

Voted, To appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars for the purpose of destroying the eggs, pupae and nests of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths in the highways and public lands of the town, the same to be expended in the manner provided in Chapter 381 of the Acts of the year 1905.

Voted, To appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars, to be expended in destroying the eggs, pupae and nests of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths upon private property, the sums so expended to be assessed upon the owners of such property benefited; the same to be expended and assessed in the manner provided in Chapter 381 of the Acts of the year 1905.

Voted, That the Board of Selectmen have charge of the work of destroying the eggs, pupae and nests of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths in the manner provided in Chapter 381 of the year 1905.

Voted, To accept as a public town way, the private

way known as West Hancock street, as laid out by the Selectmen, May 9, 1905.

LAY OUT OF WEST HANCOCK STREET

We the subscribers, Selectmen of the town of Stoneham, Mass., after giving notice according to law to all persons interested, and after a public hearing on the same, have laid out a town way as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly side line of Park street with the northerly side line of a private way known as West Hancock street, said point being fifty-three and five tenths (53.5) feet northeasterly from the northeast corner of the dwelling house of Patrick Devlin; thence the line runs north seventy-five degrees (N 75 degrees 00 minutes W.) Magnetic, following the northerly line of said private way and by and with land of Sarah A. Hill, land of Dennis P. Conway, land of Edward F. Bourgeau and other land of Sarah A. Hill, three hundred and fifty feet to the easterly side line of a private way known as Atwood avenue.

Said new street to lie on the southerly side of the above described line, and to be forty (40) feet in width throughout.

The above description to conform to a plan of the same made and drawn by William Butler Jones, C. E., and dated October 5, 1904, said plan conforming to the private street shown on plan of House Lots belonging to Sarah A. Hill, James Adams, C. E., and dated May 1898.

No person claiming damages, none have been awarded.

When this report is accepted and adopted by the town, the said way to be forever known as a public town way.

Stoneham, Mass., May 9, 1905.

Voted, To appropriate the sum of four hundred dollars to construct West Hancock street, the same to be built with sidewalks on both sides.

Voted, To extend the sewer in and through Warren street, from the existing sewer therein, between Hancock and Linden streets, southerly about 150 feet, and to appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars for the same.

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Summer street from Gould street northerly to a point near the residence of Samuel P. Hutchinson, and to appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars for the same.

Voted, To lay a water main in and through Pond street, from Summer street southerly for a distance of 250 feet, and to appropriate the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars for the same.

Voted, To appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars for repairs to highways.

Voted, To appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars for repairs to concrete walks, gutters and crossings.

Voted, To locate a fire alarm box on Maple street, near the New England Gelatine Works, and to appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for the same.

Voted, That the Engineers of the Fire Department be a committee to locate the fire alarm box voted under Article 12 of the warrant.

Voted, To annul the vote passed March 8, 1905, whereby it was voted "To construct a sewer or drain, or both, in and through Franklin street, beginning at a point in said street opposite the residence of John Walsh the florist, and extending along said street to the Melrose line: and appropriate the sum of one thousand three hundred and fifty dollars for the same."

Voted, To annul the vote passed March 8, 1905, whereby it was voted "To construct a sewer or drain, or both, in and through Isabella street, beginning at the intersection of Columbus avenue, so called, and Isabella street, and extending along said street to its intersection with

Franklin street, there to connect with such sewer or drains as may be constructed in said Franklin street; and appropriate the sum of four hundred and seventy-five dollars for the same.

Voted, To refer so much of Articles 13 and 14 as relates to drainage or sewerage, to the Board of Public Works and the Board of Health, said Boards to investigate and obtain scientific opinion as to the need of the locations mentioned in said articles, and to report at the annual meeting in March 1906.

Voted, To sell that portion of the town farm lying between St. Patrick's Cemetery and Broadway, the same to be used for cemetery purposes, to the Catholic Society, for the sum of one half of one cent per square foot; and the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized, upon payment to him of the purchase price of said lot of land, to execute and deliver a good and sufficient deed of said lot, to such officer of the Catholic Church as is empowered to receive such deed, provided that said Society desire to purchase said lot of land at the price named above.

Voted, That a committee of five, to consist of the Overseers of the Poor and two members to be appointed by the Chair, to investigate the desirability of purchasing a lot of land east of the town farm, or in some other locality, as an addition to the town farm, they to report at the annual meeting to be held in March 1906.

Under the authority of the foregoing vote, the Moderator appointed Harry E. Hersam and Joseph W. Holden as members of that committee.

Voted, To adjourn.

ELECTION OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Stoneham, Mass., Aug. 22, 1905.

At a meeting of the joint Boards of Selectmen and

School Committee held this day to elect a member of the School Committee to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Grace P. Mann, due notice having been given of such election, Joseph W. Holden of the Board of Selectmen was elected Chairman, and Charles F. Buck of the School Committee, Secretary.

On the first ballot, Mr. Wilfred A. Smith received four votes, it being unanimous, and was elected to fill the vacancy.

The term for which he is elected expires at the annual town meeting in March 1906.

Signed,
CHARLES F. BUCK,
Secretary of the joint Boards.

Town Meeting

Tuesday, November 7, 1905.

The meeting was called to order by Joseph W. Holden, one of the Selectmen, and the warrant was read by the Town Clerk, after which the Chairman announced as Tellers, who had been previously appointed by the Selectmen as required by law, who were sworn by the Town Clerk, John A. Alden, T. Fred Emery, Wilson A. Bartlett, Albert S. Woodward, Alfred T. Peacock, Charles P. Brawley, William H. Ahern and Charles F. Blodgett.

The first package, said to contain 1950 official ballots, was delivered to the Ballot Clerks, who receipted for the same; the ballot box opened, inspected, the register set at 0, locked, and the keys given in charge of Constable Sumner H. Green; after which the polls were declared open to receive ballots called for under the warrant.

Voted, To close the polls at four o'clock in the afternoon.

The Chairman announced as additional Tellers to assort and count the ballots, the following, who were sworn by the Town Clerk: Franklin B. Jenkins, Clarence S. Lynde, Walter Paige, Charles A. Stone, Myron P. Peffers, Adinorum J. Alden, James E. Fulton, John P. Kelley, Bernard W. Halpin, Herbert G. Daley, and Frank T. Halpin.

By unanimous consent of the Chairman, the election officers and the Town Clerk, at two o'clock in the afternoon the ballot box was opened and the ballots taken therefrom for the purpose of counting.

Three "Holt Counting Apparatus" were used in counting the ballots; two Republicans and two Democrats assigned to each.

At four o'clock in the afternoon, in accordance with the vote previously taken, the polls were declared closed, at which time the ballot box registered eleven hundred and forty-four, as ascertained by the Town Clerk.

The check list at the gate had the names of eleven hundred and thirty persons checked as having ballots, as counted by the Tellers.

The check list at the ballot box had the names of eleven hundred and thirty persons checked as having voted, as counted by the Tellers.

The number of ballots given out was eleven hundred and thirty.

The number of ballots returned to the Town Clerk was eight hundred and twenty.

The number of ballots taken from the ballot box as counted by the chairman was eleven hundred and thirty.

All the ballots cast having been assorted and counted as required by law, declaration of the same was made as follows:

Number of ballots cast 1130.

GOVERNOR

Charles W. Bartlett of Boston	371
James E. Carey of Haverhill	17
William H. Carroll of Boston	8
Curtis Guild Jr. of Boston	653
Willard O. Wylie of Beverly	38
Blanks	43

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNER

Thomas F. Brennan of Salem	8
Eben S. Draper of Hopedale	612
Patrick Mahoney of Boston	21
John H. Smith of Dalton	41
Henry M. Whitney of Brookline	383
Blanks	65

SECRETARY

Charles C. Hitchcock of Ware	21
Jonathan S. Lewis of Stoneham	107
Henry B. Little of Newburyport	234
William M. Olin of Boston	635
Moritz E. Ruther of Holyoke	16
Blanks	117

TREASURER

Christopher D. Albro of Milford	47
David S. Brodeur of Brockton	20
Arthur B. Chapin of Holyoke	679
Joao Claudino of New Bedford	14
Daniel F. Doherty of Westfield	245
Blanks	125

AUDITOR

Patrick J. Ashe of North Adams	237
Herbert B. Griffin of Boston	48
E. O. Fredrik Hansson of Medford	15
Ambrose Miles of Lynn	23
Henry E. Turner of Malden	667
Blanks	140

ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Allen Coffin of Nantucket	63
Henry C. Hess of Boston	12
John P. Leahy of Boston	255
Dana Malone of Greenfield	640
John Weaver Sherman of Boston	24
Blanks	136

COUNCILLOR — Fifth District

Joseph Bartlett of Lynn	53
Lewis H. Bartlett of Lynn	659
Benjamin H. Blaney of Marblehead	23
William C. Cuseck of Newburyport	234
Blanks	161

SENATOR — Middlesex and Essex District

Sidney A. Hill of Stoneham	740
Joshua T. Nowell of Stoneham	295
John C. Pittman of Saugus	16
Blanks	79

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
Thirtieth Middlesex District

William Symington Brown of Stoneham	174
James A. Jones of Stoneham	709
Henry A. Smith of Stoneham	200
Blanks	47

COUNTY COMMISSIONER — Middlesex

Frederick Bancroft of Reading	279
Levi S. Gould of Melrose	690
Blanks	161

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY
Middlesex County (To fill vacancy)

Alfred Belanger of Cambridge	248
William E. Rogers of Wakefield	698
Blanks	184

Voted, To adjourn.

Recount of Ballots Cast November 7, 1905, for Eben S. Draper and Henry M. Whitney for the Office of Lieutenant-Governor

PETITION

Town of Stoneham, November 9, 1905.

To the Town Clerk,

We, the undersigned, registered voters of the Town of Stoneham, represent that we have reason to believe, and do believe, that the returns of the election officers of said town of the votes cast at the election on Tuesday, November 7, 1905, for Lieutenant-Governor are erroneous, in this respect; that Eben S. Draper of Hopedale was credited with more, and Henry M. Whitney of Brookline with less votes than were actually cast for them; and we believe a recount of the votes cast in said town will affect the election of one or more candidates at such election. We therefore ask that the votes cast for said Draper and Whitney, candidates for Lieutenant-Governor, as aforesaid, be recounted.

Signed,

ALFRED T. PEACOCK, and 12 others.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

TOWN OF STONEHAM, November 9, 1905.

Then personally appeared Leander V. Colahan one of the above subscribers, and made oath that the above statement by him subscribed is true, to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, before me.

GEORGE N. GREEN, Justice of the Peace.

RECOUNT

In accordance with the foregoing petition, the ballots were delivered to the Registrars of Voters, and all parties interested having been notified as required by law, the Registrsrs of Voters met in the Selectmen's office Monday, November 13, 1905, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose set forth in said petition.

The meeting was called to order by Jason B. Sanborn, chairman.

James A. Jones was present, representing Eben S. Draper, as shown by his credentials on file.

The blocks of ballots were opened, canvassed, sealed and endorsed as required by law, and the following certificate filed with the Town Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

STONEHAM, MASS, November 13, 1905.

TO THE TOWN CLERK, STONEHAM, MASS.

We, the Registrars of Voters in the Town of Stoneham, Mass., hereby certify, that at a meeting called for the purpose of a recount of the ballots cast for Eben S. Draper and Henry M. Whitney for the office of Lieutenant-Governor; (said meeting being called and the ballots counted in accordance with Section 267, Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws

as amended); said recount was made and each candidate received the number of votes recorded below:

Eben S. Draper of Hopedale 613
Henry M. Whitney of Brookline..... 384

Signed,
JASON B. SANBORN,
WILLIAM F. COWDREY,
FRED E. KERNS,
Registrars of Voters of Stoneham, Mass.

Dogs Licensed

194 Males at $2.00		$388.00
24 Females at $5.00		120.00
1 Special		25.00
		$533.00
Paid County Treasurer	$489.20	
" Town "	43.80	
		$533.00

GEORGE N. GREEN, Town Clerk.

Report of the
Board of Selectmen

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Board of Selectmen have the honor of submitting the following report for the year ending December 31, 1905.

FINANCES

We refer you to the reports of the Auditors and Town Treasurer, which give in detail the financial condition of the town.

LAW SUITS

There are three suits against the town, one for alleged damage to property and health caused by dust from stone crusher, and two for alleged personal injury.

JURORS DRAWN

April 4, Micah B. Baldwin and Rodney N. Bancroft.

October 3, Fred Steele, Byron C. Brown and Wesley N. Gray.

October 31, Bernard W. Halpin, Walter Paige and William Butler.

STREET LIGHTING

This department has been somewhat shaken up by the Company now furnishing the lights, there being at the present time no free lighting in any department, which has created an expense of about $30 per month to the town for lighting the public offices; but at the same time, the Company, under the schedule in use at the present time, grant 196 hours extra street lighting for the same amount of money as formerly, and we are confident that our streets are better lighted than ever before and should give general satisfaction, as this additional 196 hours can be and has been used for lighting on cloudy nights without extra cost.

All the lights voted at the annual meeting have been located and installad.

We would call the attention of the citizens of the town, especially those living away from the center, to the fact, that to insure good service in this department, they should report to the Police Department any lights not burning on dark nights, so that the Company may be notified and the defect remedied.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

The same able force of officers under Chief Green have

done the same good work as in former years in this department, as will be seen by the following report.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,

Gentlemen: — I submit the following report of the work of the Police Department for the year ending December 31st, 1905:

Sumner H. Green, Chief.

Patrolmen,

John C. C. Small and James J. Scally.

Number of Arrests	123
Males	119
Females	4
Resident	87
Non-Resident	36

Causes of Arrest.

Assault and Battery	5
Assault with Intent to Rape	1
Adultery	2
Breaking and Entering	2
Bastardy	2
Disturbing the Peace	2
Exceeding the Speed Limit	2
Drunks	87
Idle and Disorderly	2
Insane	4
Larceny	2
Non-Support of Wife	3
Neglected Child	1
Polygamy	1
Peddling Without a License	1
Short Measure	3
Rape	2
Unlicensed Dog	1

Disposition of Cases.

Fines Imposed, Number of	49
Amount of Fines Imposed	$255
Asylum	4
Fines Paid	40
Placed on File	27
Sentenced to Houses of Detention	33
Sentenced to Houses of Detention for Non-Payment of Fines	8
Search Warrants	6
Total Time of Imprisonment	4y 3m 7d
Accidents Reported	10
Buildings Found Open	38
Buildings Specially Protected	35
Cases Investigated	90
Disturbances Suppressed	47
Detailed to Private Assemblages	8
Detailed to Public Assemblages	120
Defects in Highway	26
" " Gas Pipe	18
" " Water	13
" " Electric Lights	60
Dogs Killed	17
Lost Children	20
Nuisances Reported	16
Officers at Fires	12
Sick and Disabled People Assisted	22
Stray Teams Cared For	8

Number Cared For in the Lockup.

Prisoners	102
Lodgers	78

In submitting my report I wish to thank your Honor-

able Board for the advice and co-operation given in the performance of my duty the past year. I also wish to thank the officers for their faithful service to the department, and the many citizens who have kindly assisted us to detect crime and preserve good order in our town.

Respectfully submitted,

SUMNER H. GREEN,

Chief of Police and Lockup Keeper.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

This department we believe is second to none in the state, and the town should consider, in the near future, the matter of a central fire station. In our opinion it is not right to have any part of this department in a building occupied by a school. We annex the report of the Engineers.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Board of Fire Engineers respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1905:

There has been 41 alarms as follows:

January 1. Fire in the New England Sanitarium on Woodland road. Cause unknown. Loss covered by insurance.

February 3. The Department was called to the Furbush Leather Factory on Hancock street. Cause, bursting of a tube in the boiler. No damage by fire.

February 3. Fire in a dwelling house on Tremont street owned by Hillard Kountze. Cause, thawing water pipes. Loss covered by insurance.

February 26. Fire in dwelling house on Main street owned by Mary A. Carlin. Cause, unknown. Loss covered by insurance.

March 22. Fire in hen house on Pleasant street owned by Sumner Green. Cause, overheated stove.

April 3. Grass fire on Spencer's meadow, off Spencer street. Cause, unknown. No damage.

April 3. Fire in a stable on Collincote street owned by M. McKenna. Cause, flying sparks from a brush fire. Loss covered by insurance.

April 3. The Department was again called to a fire in the ruins of the McKenna stable on Collincote street.

April 9. Brush fire on land, south side of Maple street. Cause of fire unknown. No damage.

April 10. Brush fire on land of Sumner Richardson, south side of Lindenwood road. Cause, unknown. No damage.

April 10. Brush fire on land of L. D. Hawkins and others, off Montvale avenue. Cause, unknown. No damage.

April 19. Brush fire on land the north side of Cedar avenue. Cause, unknown. No damage.

April 19. Brush fire on land of O. W. Richardson, north side of Lindenwood road. Cause, unknown, No damage.

April 20. Brush fire on land of Ida R. Pearson, off William street. Cause, unknown. No damage.

April 20. Brush fire on land of A. A. Rhuland. Cause, burning brush. No damage.

April 27. Fire in a storehouse on Central street owned by the Vera Chemical Co. Cause, sparks from an engine. Damage slight.

April 27. Brush fire on land of W. B. Stevens off West street. Cause, unknown. No damage.

May 3. Brush fire on land east side of Isabella street. Cause, burning rubbish. No damage.

May 5. Brush fire on land corner of William and West streets. Cause unknown. No damage.

May 6. Brush fire on land south side of Franklin street. Cause, unknown. No damage.

May 6. Brush fire on land of Melvin and others, off Franklin street. Cause, burning brush. No damage.

May 7. Fire in a pile of hay at the McKenna stable on Collincote street. Cause, incendiary. Damage slight.

May 21. Brush fire on land of Horace Green and others, east side of Green street. Cause, unknown. No damage.

May 23. False alarm from box 38.

July 4. Fire in dwelling house on William street owned by Sumner Richardson. Cause, exploding fire crackers on the roof. Damage slight. Insured.

July 7. The Department was called out to find a Mr. Grover, who had wandered away from his home on Washington street.

July 28. Brush fire in wood land owned by Horace Green and others. Cause, unknown. Damage slight.

August 7. Fire in the basement of the Munger house on Central street. Caused by a pan of fat being overheated. No damage.

August 16. Still alarm for a fire in a chimney on a house owned by the Lynde heirs, Main street. No damage.

August 17. Fire in the chimney of a dwelling house on Main street owned by the Lynde estate. Cause, defective flue. No damage.

October 8. Still alarm for a fire on Donnelly's billboard on Main street, corner of Elm street. Damage slight.

October 15. Still alarm for a fire in a chimney on F. Hayes' house on Pleasant street. Cause, defective flue. Damage slight.

October 28. Fire in a tool house in the rear of Mrs. O. W. Richardson's residence, Winthrop street. Cause, boys playing with matches. Damage slight.

October 30. Still alarm for a fire in a dwelling house on Oak street owned by C. H. Price. Cause, unknown. Damage slight.

November 19. Brush fire on land of Dr. Blenkhorn, on north side of Montvale avenue. Cause, unknown. Damage slight.

November 20. Fire in dwelling house on Everett street owned by Owen McGaffegan. Cause, unknown. Loss covered by insurance.

November 21. Brush fire on land of Frank Wiley, north side of North street. Cause, unknown. No damage.

November 22. Brush fire on land of a Mr. Foley, off North street. Loss $125. No insurance. Cause, unknown.

November 22. Brush fire on land off Isabella street. Cause, burning brush. No damage.

November 27. Grass fire on Spencer's meadow. Cause, burning rubbish. No damage.

December 23. Fire in dwelling house Elm street owned by Stoneham Co-op. Bank. Cause, incendiary. Insured.

During the year, property to the value of $60,820 has been endangered by fire, on which there has been a gross loss of $9,454.

Insurance has been recovered to the amount of $9,236, leaving a net loss of $218.

There has been used at fires during the year, 9,450 feet of hose and 500 feet of ladders.

During the coming year some repairs will be needed on the Ladder Truck; also the Fire Alarm System, which has been in service some 16 years, will need thorough repairs, and we would recommend an appropriation for the same.

There is some 2000 feet of good fire hose in the Department, 1300 feet of hose in fair condition, and about 1000 feet of hose which has been in service some time and cannot be depended on any length of time.

Therefore we would recommend the purchase of 1000 feet of fire hose, and an appropriation for the same.

During the past year a chemical tank has been placed on the combination hose wagon, and the wagon is now in first class condition. The remainder of the equipment is in fair condition and will do service for the coming year.

We believe it mistaken economy to keep the apparatus in the present quarters, and we would recommend that a suitable central station be built for the accommodation of the same.

We wish to thank the members of your Honorable Board for the assistance and encouragement given us in the discharge of our duty during the past year.

To the officers and members of the several companies we extend our heartfelt thanks for the willing and efficient manner in which they have performed their duty.

Our thanks are also due the Police Department for their aid rendered at fires, and to the citizens of the town for their generous support during the past year.

G. E. STURTEVANT, Chief.
L. F. BRUCE, Asst. Chief.
ALBERT J. SMITH, Clerk.

PUBLIC SCALES.

We consider this a good investment for the town, and append the report of the Public Weigher.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:—The Weigher in charge of the Town Scales submits his report as follows:

Paying loads weighed during the year	911
Nonpaying loads weighed during the year	189
Total	1100
Receipts, 911 loads at 10c	$91.10
Expenditure, Weigher's Fee 75 per cent	68.32
Balance unexpended	$22.78

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR F. HAYWARD,
Town Weigher.

BROWN TAIL AND GYPSY MOTHS

On recommendation of State Superintendent Kirkland, we appointed George M. Jefts as local superintendent for the suppression of the moth pest, and we feel we made no mistake in our appointment. With his able force of assistants the work has been vigorously carried on. The whole has been under the supervision of State Superintendent Kirkland, who has expressed his satisfaction in the manner the work has been done.

We thank the officers of the town for their co-operation, and the citizens for their support.

HARRY E. HERSAM,
JOSEPH W. HOLDEN,
ARTHUR N. NEWHALL,
Selectmen.

Report of the

Trustees of the Public Library

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Trustees of the Public Library herewith respectfully present their annual report.

This report is the first to cover a whole year in the new building, and the Trustees are gratified that their estimates of the cost of maintenance have not been exceeded by the actual expenditures. A careful study of the expenses for the year shows that, barring unexpected and unusual outlays, the Library may be maintained for some time, at its present efficiency, upon an annual appropriation not materially larger than that of this year (1905). It also shows that any reduction in this appropriation must necessarily result in decreased efficiency.

The increasing use of the Library necessitates increasing expenditures along certain lines, one of the most important of which is binding. Popular books, especially children's, are comparatively short lived and must go to the bindery or be replaced by new copies; and, as the cost of rebinding is, on an average, about one third that of the new book, the former alternative is always adopted. It is also proper to state here that the Library now has a rather large and growing magazine list, many of which it would be very

poor policy not to preserve in permanent binding, especially as they are now made available as works of reference by the use of Poole's Index.

Proper lighting is a necessity but, under present conditions, is expensive. If the town could secure special rates for the lighting of public buildings, there would result a saving to the Library which might be judiciously expended for other things.

These expenses, however, the Trustees have been able to meet, and in addition have made at least one permanent improvement. About one hundred feet of additional shelving have been placed on the east side of the children's reading room. In material and finish this shelving matches that which was constructed at the time of the erection of the building, and in no way detracts from the symmetry of the room. It rather adds to it, and certainly will increase its usefulness, as many of the children's books have been located in the main stock room for lack of shelf space in the reading room.

THE READING ROOM

The Trustees take just pride in improving the two reading rooms, and the increased and regular attendance in each is evidence that their efforts are appreciated.

To the carefully selected list of reference books in the main reading room many important additions have recently been made, among which may be mentioned, "The Library of Historic Characters and Famous Events," "The Encyclopedia Britanica," Audubon's "Birds of America" transferred from the High School, and "The Century Dictionary" presented by the Town Improvement Association. These, together with the regular cyclopedias, the complete set of Harper's Magazine, complete or partial sets of other magazines, Poole's Index and Supplement, the "Encyclopedia of

American Biography," and many other works of reference, with all the leading periodicals, make this room one in which a large number of our young people pass many enjoyable and profitable hours. The room itself and the use that is made of it should be a source of pride to all our townspeople.

Attention is here called to the "Traveling Library of French Art," furnished by the Woman's Education Association. This consists of fifteen volumes and one hundred thirty photographs loaned to our library till May 1. It is hoped that all interested in the subject will consult the books and examine the photographs, so that the Librarian may be justified in asking for other and perhaps more valuable collections in the future. The books occupy the niche at the right of the delivery desk, and some of the photographs are displayed around the rotunda.

Mrs. H. M. Boyce has continued to act as Librarian, and Miss Sarah A. Lynde as Associate Librarian, during the year. E. Porter Dodge is janitor.

For the ensuing year the Trustees recommend the following appropriation: $1800.00, dog tax and unexpended balance.

The following statistics are from the report of the Librarian:

LIBRARY STATISTICS

Number of Books in Library Jan. 1, 1905	10,771
" " " Loaned during the year	29,663
" " Persons taking books	1,245
" " Books Worn Out	56
" " " Rebound	563
" " " Catalogues Sold	11
Books Replaced and Duplicates	58
New Books Added	283

Incidental Expenses..... $38.22
Money Taken for Fines, Catalogues and Cards..... 106.00

DONATIONS

Bulletin of the U. S. National Museum No. 50.

Library of Congress 1903-1904.

Official Records of the Union and Confederate Navies in the War of the Rebellion, vol. 18.

Report of the Commissioner of Labor, 1905.

Tenth and Eleventh Report of the Commissioners of Labor, 1904.

Annual Report of the Department of the Interior, 1903-1904.

Vital Records of Boxford, Charlton, Medway, Oxford, Palmer, Oakham and Newton.

Bulletins, Department of Labor, No. 57, 58, 59.

Record of Dedication of Statue of Maj. Gen. Wm. F. Bartlett.

Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board, 1905.

U. S. Department of Agriculture, Six Books.

Century Dictionary, 10 vol., Town Improvement Association.

Journal of the House of Representatives, 1905.

Journal of the Senate, 1905.

Acts and Resolves of Mass., 1905.

Mass. Soldiers and Sailors of the Rev. War, vol. 13.

History of the Fifth Mass. Battery.

Bulletin of the U. S. National Museum No. 53.

Masters in Art, 1904, from Mrs. Orianna Brown.

Ancient Middlesex, from Levi S. Gould.

Earthly Problems in Heavenly Light, from Trustees of Bennett Fund, Boston.

Womans Journal.

Our Dumb Animals.
Tufts Weekly.
Saturday Evening Post, John E. Parker.
Stoneham Independent, Whittier Brothers.

CIRCULATION IN 1905

	Magazines	Philosophy and Religion	Sociology	Science	Useful and Fine Arts	Literature	History	Travel	Biography	Fiction	Total
January	91	30	16	63	53	55	98	74	61	2288	2829
February	100	21	14	84	80	59	111	79	57	2496	3101
March	133	15	23	81	69	53	99	74	67	2597	3211
April	101	10	8	71	40	39	67	61	57	2119	2573
May	94	20	13	41	31	44	67	47	48	1795	2200
June	64	10	11	35	46	37	47	47	20	1593	1910
July	45	11	16	37	27	32	30	38	20	1698	1954
August	76	14	17	35	43	28	29	53	22	1692	2009
September	114	11	17	55	50	36	53	52	44	1915	2347
October	110	13	9	54	52	37	65	61	35	1872	2308
November	128	9	16	65	63	43	102	101	70	2082	2679
December	142	15	11	58	56	45	66	67	52	2030	2542
Total	1198	179	179	679	610	508	834	754	553	24177	29663
Pr. Ct.	4	.6	.6	2.3	2.1	1.7	2.8	2.5	1.9	81.5	

Respectfully submitted,
BENJAMIN J. HINDS,
GEORGE A. HINCHCLIFFE,
CORA E. DIKE,
CHARLES H. CHASE,
SARAH A. LYNDE,
CHARLES E. STEVENS,
Trustees of the Public Library.

Report of the

Trustees of Lindenwood Cemetery

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Trustees of Lindenwood Cemetery respectfully submit the following report, viz:—

Appropriation	$252.96
Received from sale of seven lots	428.00
" " " " nine single graves	88.00
" " " " wood and grass	59.00
" " care and repair of lots	1,926.70
Total receipts	$2,754.66
Bills paid as per Auditors' Report	$2,352.99
Balance unexpended	$401.67

Old Cemetery

Appropriation	$35.00
Expended	32.22
Balance unexpended	$2.78

The following sums have been reported during the year for perpetual care of lots:

A. V. Tilton	$100.00
A. Stone	100.00
R. Horne	100.00
E. W. Pierce	100.00
L. E. Lombard	50.00
M. H. Valler	100.00
L. Emerson	50.00
D. Carbee	100.00
A. J. Herrick	100.00

W. S. Loud	$100.00
Wm. Hayes	100.00
E. Sherburne	100.00
M. B. Baldwin	100.00
Ira Gerry Estate	300.00
	$1,500.00

Under the existing methods the cemetery has again proven itself self-supporting, and we recommend their continuance.

The character and quality of the work done speaks for itself; and for the financial details we refer you to the above figures and to the Auditors' report.

Respectfully submitted,

F. E. NICKERSON,
CHAS. C. DIKE,
CHAS. W. MESSER,
D. A. ABBOTT,
WINFRED DIKE,
Trustees.

Report of the
Board of Assessors

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

We respectfully submit the following of the valuation of estates, real and personal, assessed in the Town of Stoneham, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for 1905:

Value of Buildings, excluding Land	$2,367,681.00
" " Land, excluding Buildings	2,109,077.00
Total	$4,476,758.00
Total Value of Personal Property	420,591.00
Total Value of Real and Personal Estate..	$4,897,349.00

Tax Rate $22.00 on $1000

Tax on Real Estate		$98,488.68
Tax on Personal Estate		9,253.00
Tax on Polls		4,016.00
Total		$111,757.68

ASSESSED AND APPROPRIATED

Town Grant		$97,680.00
State Tax		6,360.00
County Tax		5,222.23
Sewer Tax		5,105.05
Park Tax		2,489.58
Metropolitan Water Tax		8,647.61
State Highway Tax		57.10
Overlayings		2,186.01
Total		$127,747.58
Less cash received from state on Corporation and other taxes	$7,342.29	
Less Metropolitan Water Tax paid from water receipts by Town Treasurer	8,647.61	
		$15,989.90
		$111,757.68
Number of Residents Assessed on Property		1080
All others		120
Number of Non-Residents Ass'd on Property		367
All others		55
Total Number Assessed on Property		1622
Whole Number of Polls Assessed		2008
For Poll Tax only		1571

Number of Horses	342
" " Cows	247
" " Neat Cattle	7
" " Swine	51
" " Fowl	1560
" " Dwellings	1451
" " Other Buildings	660
" " Acres of Land	2418

ASSESSED AND APPROPRIATED

	1904	1905
Town Grant	$83,722.24	$97,680.00
State Tax	3,975.00	6,360.00
County Tax	5,373.88	5,222.23
Sewer Tax	4,962.06	5,105.05
Park Tax	2,394.81	2,489.58
Metropolitan Water Tax	8,343.88	8,647.61
State Highway Tax	79.10	57.10
Overlayings	3,191.71	2,186.01
Total	$112,042.68	$127,747.58
Less Water and Corp. Taxes	15,753.62	15,989.90
Total Amount to Raise	$96,289.06	$111,757.68

Read and reflect on the above figures and you can see one of the reasons why our tax rate was so much higher last year than for several years. As Stoneham is in the Metropolitan District we have got to help pay for all the modern improvements such as parks, sewers, state highways and water, but it does not seem fair and just that Stoneham should pay the same proportion of the park tax that other towns do in the same district, when they have taken for park purposes more land from Stoneham than any town in the Middlesex Fells District.

The following table gives the towns and cities that are included in Greater Boston, or were ten years ago, with their tax rate per $1000 for 1905 :

Arlington	$20.00	Milton	$12.80
Boston	16.00	Nahant	9.00
Belmont	19.90	Needham	18.00
Braintree	22.00	Newton	18.00
Brookline	12.00	Norwood	17.40
Cambridge	19.00	Quincy	18.30
Canton	17.20	Randolph	20.40
Chelsea	19.00	Revere	22.00
Cohasset	11.00	Saugus	18.70
Dedham	18.20	Somerville	18.30
Dover	11.00	Stoneham	22.00
Everett	17.80	Swampscott	14.50
Hingham	17.70	Wakefield	19.60
Hull	19.50	Waltham	16.80
Hyde Park	16.80	Watertown	18.50
Lexington	20.40	Wellesley	11.00
Lincoln	7.25	Weston	9.20
Lynn	18.40	Westwood	10.00
Malden	17.20	Weymouth	22.30
Marblehead	17.00	Winchester	16.80
Medford	21.40	Winthrop	17.00
Melrose	18.00	Woburn	19.00

Highest rate $26, assessed in town of Charlmont; lowest rate, $3.83, in town of Gosnold. Rates from $5.60 to $9.50 assessed in 15 towns; $10 to $14.90 in 96 towns; $15 to $19.90 in 26 cities and 161 towns; $20 to $23.50 in 7 cities and 47 towns.

WILSON A. BARTLETT,
JOHN BEST,
GEORGE W. NEWHALL,
Assessors of Stoneham.

Report of the

Commissioners of Public Works

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Commissioners of Public Works submit the following report for the year 1905:

HIGHWAYS

The street department has been in charge of George H. Spates, Superintendent, as last year. The several matters coming under this department have received the necessary attention, and repairs have been made so far as the appropriation would allow. We feel that our streets will compare favorably with others in this vicinity, and that they are in a safe and passable condition. For details see the appended report of Superintendent of Streets.

Stone Crusher

The plant is in good condition, and with a few repairs (which are needed each year) will be ready to start up for another season's work.

Steam Roller

The Roller will require to be overhauled and inspected before starting up. It is in good repair generally, but like all machinery, some parts will wear out.

Road Grader

This machine is in good general condition.

Street Sprinklers

A coat of paint and varnish is all that is required to preserve them.

Concrete

There are a large number of concrete walks that should be repaired in order to save them. This can be done now at less expense than if allowed to go for a longer period. We have returned to the treasury the $75 voted for new work on Chestnut street, believing that it would be useless to build this piece of walk until the street grade is established at this point.

Gravel Walks

There are a large number of sidewalks that have not received any grading for a great many years and are in bad condition, caused by general wear and by tree roots. There are also some extensions which should be made. Also a number of cases of stumps that have been left after the trees have been removed, which render them unsafe. In all cases where trees are cut, the stumps should be removed and the proper authorities should insist on this when granting a permit.

Drains and Basins

The large number of drains require constant attention, and we recommend, as last year, that there be made a separate appropriation for drains and basins; as under the present system it takes out of the street appropriation quite an amount of money which citizens think is expended on streets, as it is all appropriated for that purpose.

Guide Boards

A large number of guide boards have been repainted and replaced the past year.

Franklin Street

This street has been completed and accepted by the County Commissioners, and we have succeeded in obtaining

from the county an additional $500. Below is the letter of of acceptance.

EAST CAMBRIDGE, Dec. 7, 1905.

GENTLEMEN : — We have your letter of the 1st inst. as to Franklin street, and beg to say that we have had it inspected, have accepted it, and awarded $3000 as the county's share of the expense, instead of $2500 as fixed in the original decree.

We believe the work has been well done and that it is a credit to the town. More has been done on sidewalks and in fixing approaches to other streets than was absolutely required by the decree, but we think good judgment was shown in doing these things.

Yours Respectfully,
LEVI S. GOULD, Chairman.

WATER DEPARTMENT

EXTENSION OF MAINS

There has been laid the past year an extension of the Collincote street mains from near the house of James Grant, through Collincote street to Main street, through Main street to Broadway, a distance of 2960 feet of 6 inch cast iron pipe, at a cost of 81 cents per ft., including one extra hydrant; an extension from North street to the Reading line, a distance of 862 feet, of 6 inch cast iron pipe including one hydrant at a cost of 93c per foot; an extension of 260 feet of 6 inch cast iron pipe on Summer street near Gould street at a cost of $1.04 per ft.; an extension of 156 feet of 6 inch cast iron pipe on Pond street, south from Summer street, at a cost of $1.30 per ft.; an extension of 860 feet of 2 inch pipe on Forrest street, at a cost of 36 cents per ft. Oriental court was laid a distance of 445 feet with 2 inch pipe, at a cost of 33 cents per ft. We were obliged to relay Mary's lane the past year, as the old pipe was small,

filled up and inadequate to supply the inhabitants. This was relaid with 4 inch cast iron pipe, and a hydrant placed on it for blow off purposes, a distance of 609 feet, at a cost, including hydrant, of 68 cents per ft. The severe weather between Jan. 1st and March caused a great number of pipes to freeze, and the department was kept busy the whole year.

Service Pipes

There has been 35 new services laid the past year, and 61 relaid, a total of 4378 feet, at an average cost to the town of 0.39.7. This includes all fittings.

Hydrants

Hydrants have been placed as follows: One on Collincote street; three on Main street; one on Central street; one on Montvale avenue; one on Mary's lane. There are now 110 hydrants in commission.

Repairs

The past year, as a year ago, we suffered to a considable extent by damage to the mains by lightning. On Main street, at Marble street, also on Summer and Gerry streets, and the pipe has been so badly disturbed in that section that it should be relaid with cast iron pipe. It is not safe at the present time and liable to break at any moment. We would recommend that the town replace the present cement pipe with cast iron pipe, at the junction of Main, Marble and Summer streets; also on Summer street between Main and Pine streets. We have also repaired the usual number of service leaks the past year, and seven leaks on mains in other sections than the above.

Meters

The town should consider the meter question, and, as we are charged by the Metropolitan Water Department for

the water used, it will not be long before the town will be obliged to meter its services in self protection. There is no question but what a metered system would reduce the consumption and stop leaking fixtures, and in this manner reduce the amount of money to be paid the Metropolitan Water Department. Our consumption the past year has averaged 84 gals per capita per day. The largest was 97 gals in Feb., the smallest 64 gals in Dec. 1905. It would seem advisable for the citizens to consider the matter and be ready when the time comes for the change, which is not far distant.

SEWER DEPARTMENT

There have been two extensions of the sewer the past year, one on Spring street and one on Warren street. There was laid on Spring street 354 feet of sewer and 354 feet of underdrain, at an expense of $1826.88 and an extension of the sewer on Warren street of 176 feet, at an expense of $195.99. The regular cleaning and care of the entire system has been attended to, and they are in good condition.

House Connections

Forty-one (41) connections made the past year, aggregating two thousand one hundred seventy-two (2172) feet, at a cost of one thousand ten and 86-100 (1010.86) dollars an average cost of 46½ cents per foot. This makes a total of 546 connections made to date.

YEAR	FEET	COST	PER FT
1896	2535	$1,499.48	$.59
1897	3368	1,774.35	.52.60
1898	3229	1,373 33	.42.52
1899	3184	1,571.10	.49.75
1900	4349	2,325.00	.53.70
1901	2721	1,500.24	.55.10

1902	2469	1,285.67	.52
1903	2515	1,371.06	.54.51
1904	1957	1,222.70	.62
1905	2172	1,010.86	.46.50

Average per foot..... .52.32

HENRY A. SMITH,
JAMES A. JONES,
WILLARD MASSEY,
Commissioners of Public Works.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS REPORT

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Public Works:

Gentlemen:—I respectfully submit the following report of the Highway Department for the year 1905:

The same general policy in regard to the necessary repairs has been maintained during the year. The great amount of snow and ice of last winter made it necessary to keep at work almost constantly.

Catch Basins and Drainage

The street gutters, basins and drains received the regular spring cleaning, and has been repeated a number of times throughout the year. And as the basins and drains were all inspected late in the fall, and unless bothered by freezing, we will have little trouble with them this winter.

Seventeen new catch basins have been added this year: twelve on Franklin street, two on Highland avenue, two on Spring street foot of Eustice street, and one on Green street. There are yet many places where water causes considerable trouble and where drains are needed. A good way to do this work would be to construct each year as many as possible, taking the worst places first, and soon all the bad places would be drained.

I would recommend a separate appropriation of five hundred dollars ($500) for the construction of catch basins, and also for the care of existing basins and drains.

Collincote Street

Was repaired from land of James Grant to end of Central street and considerable sods and growth removed from gutters, and is now in better condition.

Elm Street

Was repaired in front of the Town Farm and near the Wakefield line with broken stone, with gravel top, and is now in a safe and passable condition. There should be still more work done next season, as we were unable to complete all this season for want of funds.

I would recommend a separate appropriation of $1080 for macadamizing this street from the cemetery to Wakefield line.

Franklin Steeet

Work on this street was resumed this season and finished. There was three thousand feet in length macadamized; shoulders dressed off; 12 catch basins constructed, each 4x6 feet, with proper outlets; the four corners at junction of Summer street rounded and the gutters on both sides of the hill between Summer and Pleasant streets were paved; concrete sidewalks from Main street to beyond Pine street, and that from Pine street to Summer street was replaced. Sidewalk from Stevens street to Melrose line was graded and dressed with stone dust. The large stone bridge over the drain near Summer street was extended twenty feet and street widened at this point from forty to fifty feet. The B. & N. St. R. R. has placed four track basins at points near Spencer street, Summer street, Stevens street, and Outram's farm, to care for the water which

centers at these points. New railings have been placed where needed, and now this street is in a much improved condition.

Gould Street

From Stevens street to Highland avenue was repaired with gravel and rolled with steam roller, which leaves this part of the street in good condition.

Green Street

Was repaired with road machine and rolled with steam roller, from standpipe to a point near Green's farm, making this part safe.

Hancock Street

From Warren street to Pine street was rebuilt with the road machine and rolled thoroughly, leaving this part with a much improved surface.

West Hancock Street

In accordance with the vote of the town, this street was laid out and built, and is a decided improvement. The roller should be put on in the spring, for a few hours, so that it may receive the usual grading where needed, as this was new work done this fall and should receive the above treatment in the spring in order to obtain the best results.

High Street

From residence of Joseph A. Pretto to entrance of W. B. Parker was repaired and is now in a much better condition.

Main Street

From Winter street to the Square was repaired and surfaced with crushed stone, and rolled, making a good,

smooth surface. This work must not be taken for regular macadam, as it was only a top dressing of crushed stone put on after being evened up. This, however, will usually give very good results, and is better than gravel and would, on a lightly traveled road, wear a long time. There was also some work done on the old macadam, which should always be done when necessary, as it is poor policy to build stone roads and not take care of them, as they, like any other work, are likely to become started from various causes, and should always be attended to at once, as it is always cheaper and at the same time maintains a good road. Some judge that when a macadam road is built there is no more to it, but this is not so, for it needs more or less care, like any road, but of course is considerably less expensive, as there is always something on which to build.

I would recommend a separate appropriation of $1336.50 for macadamizing Central Square, and also another of $486 to macadamize Main street from Gerry street to Marble street.

Montvale Avenue

The B. & N. St. R. R. have finished their work along its tracks as promised; crushed stone filling between rails and along outside to conform with the street grade; with a paved gutter from B. & M. R. R. crossing to a point opposite the cemetery; and a catch basin to care for the water at the low point in the turnout. The crushed stone and use of roller was furnished by the town at the railroad's expense. This adds another good length of St. R. R. in Stoneham.

Mt. Pleasant Street

Has been repaired, railed and gutters cleared, and is in a safe and passable condition.

North Street

In accordance with the town's vote, a new gravel side-

walk through George and North streets, from Main street to Forest street, was built six feet wide to proper grade and top dressed with stone dust, and 350 feet of railing built where needed, which adds another improvement to that section of the town and a much needed one in that locality. The roadbed and gutters have also been much improved.

Pearl Street

At the Hancock street end, has been repaired with crushed stone with gravel top, and rolled, leaving another bad piece of road in safe condition.

Pleasant Street

From Pine to Gould street was re-surfaced with road machine and rolled, thus making a much smoother surface. And no doubt it has been appreciated by the teamsters, as there were many bad ruts in it and it was very uneven.

Pond Street

Was repaired with crushed stone on the hill, at the ledge so called, and rolled, and is in safe condition.

I would recommend a separate appropriation of $864 for macadamizing this street from Summer street to Warren J. Wilson's house.

Tidd Street

Was re-surfaced with crushed stone, and rolled, thus doing away with another very uneven and muddy piece of road.

Gravel Sidewalks

There has been some bad and dangerous places repaired in the following localities, viz: — Central street, between Union and William streets; Chestnut street, between Maple street and Cedar avenue; Common street, between Main and Central streets; Emerson street; Hancock street near

Warren street; Isabella street near Franklin street; Main street, between Union and William streets; Maple street, between Main and Warren streets; Middle street near Main street; Pine street, between Gould and Pleasant streets; Pleasant street, between Central and Pine streets, and between Summer and Franklin streets; Summer street near Franklin street; Tidd street; Warren street near Hancock street; William street, between Elm street and the Woburn line; Wright street, between Maple street and Wright street court.

Slight repairs were also made on the following streets, viz: — Broadway, Central, Charles, Chestnut, Cottage, East, Elm, Emerson, Ferdinand, High, Hill, Isabella, Lincoln, Main, Marble, Mary's Lane, Middle, Minot, North, Perkins, Pine, Pleasant, Pomeworth, Pond, Spring, Stevens, Summer, Waverly, William, Winter and Wright streets; Lindenwood road; and also Albion, Flint, Highland, Montvale and Park avenues.

Concrete

This work was done by Mr T. A. Mulroney, contractor, and in a satisfactory manner, and consisted mostly of repairs on old concrete; the same being well scattered over the town and where it was thought most needed. The following are the streets, viz: — Central, Chestnut, Gerry, Gilmore, Gould, Harrison, Hersam, Isabella, Main, Maple, Minot, Perkins, Pond, Spring, Washington, Winter and Wright streets; also Flint and North avenues.

Street Railings

Were placed on the following streets, viz: — Gould at the brook; Hancock near Warren; Lindenwood road at the brook; Mt. Pleasant; Oak at the brook; Perkins; Pond; Spring; and William at the brook.

Street Signs

There has been thirty-three new signs placed in position this year.

Stone Crushing Plant

Will only need new babbitt, new dies and cheek plates the coming season; otherwise it is in good condition. The plant has been stripped of all fittings and taken to a place of safety for the winter.

Steam Road Roller

Will need some little overhauling before going into commission next season; otherwise it appears all right.

Water Carts

Will need painting and varnishing this season; otherwise should say they are in good condition.

Machinery of Department

In general, it is in good condition and has been well cared for, and will need but little outlay the coming season.

I think it may be well to speak of the dumping nuisance about town. There are many places where this is being done on the sides of streets; also where ashes are dumped in the streets. Ashes are not good for roads, as often they are full of nails, which are very dangerous to horses feet; also very annoying to bicycle and automobile riders. These things do not look well for the town and should not be allowed. "No dumping" signs have been posted in many places, but to no effect, as they are not respected, and so become targets and are destroyed.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. SPATES,

Superintendent of Streets

Report of the
Overseers of the Poor

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Board of Overseers of the Poor respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1905:

The care of our deserving poor is a duty made incumbent by law. It is also a moral obligation which no right minded citizen would desire to see set aside.

Cases of persons in necessitous circumstances, when found or brought to the attention of our Board, have been promptly relieved.

The placing of the expense and settlement where they legally belong is, under the complexity of the law, many times very difficult to determine. This is proven by the fact that this Board has, in the last two years, disposed of several cases which the town had been aiding for years, and placed the settlements elsewhere.

It was with regret that we received the final resignation of Mr. and Mrs. Lufler as warden and matron at the Almshouse after nine years of faithful service.

In the selection of their successors we had quite a large list of applications, but we feel that in the appointment of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Colburn we made no mistake. Their services for the past year have been perfectly satisfactory to our Board, and as far as we know, to the citizens of the town, who are respectfully invited to visit the Almshouse and Farm, and see for themselves.

By careful economy we have been able to re-shingle several of the buildings, buy a new democrat wagon, and still keep within our appropriation. For the detailed statement of receipts and expenditures we refer to the report of the Auditors.

Again the thanks of our Board are gratefully extended

to the various charitable and benevolent societies of the town for their substantial and timely aid during the year, especially at Christmas time.

At a special town meeting held July 26, 1905, it was voted to sell a piece of land south of Broadway, containing about two acres, to the Catholic Society; also voted that a committee of five be appointed to take into consideration the advisability of the town purchasing land of W. D. Brackett, or others, the Overseers of the Poor, Selectmen H. E. Hersam and J. W. Holden were appointed as that committee.

The Board of Overseers feel that under the circumstances, it would be well for the town to purchase all, or at least part, of the land of Mr. Brackett, containing about three and a half acres. This land lays directly east of the Almshouse about one hundred feet distant.

Our main reason for wanting this land is the matter of proper drainage for the buildings, the conditions of which at present are very bad, the overflow running onto the land of Mr. Brackett. For any further details in this matter we refer to the committee's report at the next March meeting.

The whole number cared for at the Almshouse during the year appear below, with the disposition of each case.

No.	Name	Age	Admitted	Ended
3	Samuel Gerry	72	Dec. 2, 1858	Continue
55	Leander F. Goodwin	69	June 6, 1881	"
80	Maggie W. Bailey	46	Nov. 7, 1883	"
141	George W. Cowdrey	59	Feb. 6, 1892	"
212	John B. Clough	69	Dec. 4, 1900	"
213	Imogene Thompson	55	July 10, 1903	Died Mar. 2, '05
214	Elias P. Prime	92	Jan. 15, 1904	Continues
215	Eli Boudreau	55	Sept. 17, 1904	Died Jan. 7, '05
217	Patrick Kelley	75	June 25, 1905	Died Aug. 25, '05
218	Mary Kelly	71	June 30, 1905	Continues
219	Bernard Cunningham	39	April 22, 1905	"
219	John Cunningham	50	Nov. 11, 1905	"

Minor children have all been committed to the State Board of Charity, and are no expense to the town.

OUTSIDE RELIEF

There has been no increase in this department. The Insane are entirely under the care of the State. The disposition of the feeble minded and epileptics supported by the town appear below.

Arba H. Clark at School for Feeble Minded; Leon Gay at Hospital for Epileptics.

TOWN PHYSICIAN

Dr. A. H. Cowdrey was reappointed, and for details of care and medical attendance we refer to his report.

WILSON A. BARTLETT,
JOHN G. BEEDE,
WALTER C. BANCROFT,
Overseers of the Poor.

TOWN PHYSICIAN'S REPORT

To the Overseers of the Poor:

Dear Sirs:—I respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1905:

As it has proven, your Board was fortunate in securing the services of Mr. and Mrs. Colburn to take charge of the Farm and to care for the poor in the house, in the place of Mr. and Mrs. Lufler who had served the town so faithfully for many years.

I have made sixty-five visits at the Farm. There was only one death.

To the poor outside of the Farm I have made one hundred and fifty visits. There were no deaths.

Respectfully submitted,
ARTHUR HARRIS COWDREY,
Town Physician.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

OF THE

TOWN OF STONEHAM

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1905

School Committee 1905-06

	Term Expires
WINTHROP C. WHITCHER, Chairman	1908
WILFRED A. SMITH, Secretary	1906
CHARLES F. BUCK	1906

CHARLES E. STEVENS, Superintendent
9 Cedar Avenue
Telephone, "Stoneham 23-5"

Office—High School
Office Hours:
8 to 8.45 Tuesdays, Fridays; 4 to 5 Fridays
School Days Only

School Calendar

	1906
Spring Term Begins Tuesday	April 3
Holidays, April 19, May 30	
Spring Term Ends	June 22
Fall Term Begins Tuesday	Sept. 11
Vacation, Thanksgiving Week Beginning Wednesday Noon.	
Fall Term Ends Friday	Dec. 21
	1907
Winter Term Begins Wednesday	Jan. 2
Winter Term Ends	March 22
Spring Term Begins Tuesday	April 2

The Spring Term of the High School and Ninth Grade close one week later than indicated above.

Report of the

School Committee

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Through the united efforts of the Superintendent, teachers and pupils, and with the generous support of the citizens, the schools have passed a very successful year.

Your Committee has been fortunate in retaining the services of nearly all of the teachers of the present year. Two have resigned to accept positions in other places at higher salaries, and Miss M. E. Buzzell was granted leave of absence on account of ill health.

The Committee secured the services of Miss V. H. Taber to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Buzzell's absence, but she resigned at close of fall term, to accept a position at Dedham at a large increase of salary. Miss Grace E. Wade is the present teacher.

By the resignation of Mrs. Grace P. Mann from the School Committee, the town has lost an earnest worker and one who has always endeavored to keep up the high standard of our schools. Mr. W. A. Smith was elected to fill the vacancy.

During the year a course in sewing, for the girls of the 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th grades, has been established; also a course in manual training, for the boys of the 7th, 8th and 9th grades, both of which have proved very interesting and instructive.

Special mention should be made of the help of the Stoneham Woman's Club in establishing these courses, and many thanks are due them for their generous gift of nearly seventy ($70) dollars to the town, which has been expended in behalf of manual training.

The Committee thought it advisable not to open the North street school, and the children in that vicinity have attended the North school, being carried to and from school by Joseph Butler. The expense of transportation is much less than that of maintaining the North street school, and the results much more satisfactory.

Owing to the crowded condition of the South school, the Committee was obliged to open a school in the Center building and close one at the North, thus entailing much additional expense, but by so doing saved the expense of an additional teacher.

Many needed repairs have been made during the year, and at present the buildings are in a fair condition.

In the past year the number of pupils in the schools has increased by about thirty (30) the present membership being about 1180, including tuition pupils sent to Melrose, Wakefield and Woburn.

The cost of maintaining the schools per pupil for the year has slightly increased over last year, at present costing $23.90.

For the support of the schools for the ensuing year the committee recommend an appropriation of $29,000, to be expended approximately as follows:

Salaries, Fuel and Care	$22,875.00
Books and Supplies	2,000.00
Repairs and Incidentals	2,800.00
Tuition	1,200.00
Secretary and Care of Books	125.00

We submit herewith our annual statement:

Appropriation		$27,200.00
Tuition, State		110.00
Stoneham Woman's Club		69.20
Tuition		12.50
		$27,391.70
Salaries, Fuel, Care	$21,359.53	
Books and Supplies	1,795.56	
Repairs and Incidentals	2,475.25	
Tuition	1,615.03	
Secretary	133.83	
		$27,379.20
Unexpended		$12.50

Respectfully submitted,
WINTHROP C. WHITCHER,
CHAS. F. BUCK,
WILFRED A. SMITH,
School Committee.

Report of the

Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee:

In accordance with custom and the requirements of the School Committee, I have the honor to present to you, and through you to the citizens of Stoneham, my twelfth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

Appended to this report are the usual statistical tables. By them it will be seen that the total average membership

for the year ending June 23, 1905, was 1091; the average attendance 1024; and the percentage of attendance 93.8. These figures represent an increase of 30 for the year.

The attendance for the fall term was about the same as for the preceding fall term, yet the distribution as to grades and places of residence changed greatly. At the opening of school in September it was found that the schools at the South were overcrowded, while the Center schools were full and the North schools were small. A careful study of the place of residence of the pupils indicated that there could be no considerable transfer of smaller pupils from the South to Center and from Center to North without great inconvenience. Accordingly it was decided to open another school at the Center, close one room at the North, and transfer all sixth grade pupils from the South and North to the Dean. By these changes we have five schools in the Center, and six schools in the Dean. All pupils above grade five, with the exception of grade six at the East, now attend school at the Dean until they enter grade nine. In this way all the pupils in town were comfortably accommodated, yet there were very few unoccupied seats. On an average the number of pupils in each room exceeded 40.

The changes in our teaching force for the year have been less than usual. Three teachers have married, and four have left to accept a larger salary elsewhere. Miss Mary E. Buzzell of the High School was granted leave of absence on account of ill health, and Miss Vivian H. Taber was engaged to take her place, temporarily, beginning with the fall term. In December Miss Taber asked to be released in order to accept a large increase of salary elsewhere, and Miss Grace E. Wade was engaged for the remainder of the year. All greatly regret the continued illness of Miss Buzzell. Her work has always been characterized by rare devotion, scholarly attainments and deep sympathy for the

individual pupil. She is held in high esteem by all former pupils. The following is the full list of changes:

RESIGNATIONS	SCHOOL	ELECTIONS
Mary E. Corcoran	North	Mary E. Brown
Nellie I. Keene	East	Ethel E. Asker
Mercy A. Walker	High	Eva M. Garland
Claire J. Allen	High	Lenora Bessey
Bessie M. Small	South	Mary C. Scally
Edward F. Griffin	Music	Austin M. Howard
Austin M. Howard	Music	Leon R. Maxwell
Vivian H. Taber	High	Grace E. Wade
	Sewing	Frances M. Carr
	Sloyd	Walter F. Brackett

SEWING

In no department of school work has there been shown greater interest or more satisfactory results than in the sewing classes. Early in the year Miss Frances M. Carr was engaged to take charge of the work. This she was able to do advantageously, as she had already taught the Saturday classes conducted by the Woman's Club. All the girls of grades, six, seven, eight and nine have taken the lessons. The report of the teacher of sewing is here inserted.

Mr. C. E. Stevens, Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir: During the past year I have taught sewing to the girls of grades six, seven, eight and nine, with about forty girls in each grade. The girls furnish their own material. The interest and progress in the work is gratifying to note. In grade six forty minutes a week are given to sewing, and the pupils are given the fundamental instructions, as how to thread a needle, how to make a knot, how to take the different stitches, etc. After the children have gained these facts, they make sewing aprons.

In grade seven forty minutes a week are devoted to

sewing, and the girls are making handkerchiefs and dusting-caps.

In grade eight one hour a week is given to sewing, and the girls are making underwear.

In grade nine forty-five minutes a week are devoted to sewing, and the girls are making night dresses.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES M. CARR,

Teacher of Sewing.

SLOYD

Early in the spring term a room in the basement of the High School was fitted up with tools, benches, and every equipment necessary to give bench-work instruction in Sloyd. The School Committee were assisted in this work by a gift of about seventy dollars from the Woman's Club. Mr. Walter F. Brackett was engaged as instructor, and about the first of May the boys of grades seven, eight and nine began work. Great interest has been shown by the boys, and very commendable results are in evidence. The following report of the instructor will be read with interest:

MR. C. E. STEVENS, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS,

DEAR SIR: The following report on the "Sloyd" work, or Manual Training, is respectfully submitted:

Last spring "Sloyd" was introduced into our schools, and as few people understood what is meant by "Sloyd," a brief allusion to some of the principles may be of interest. The word itself means handicraft, and the motto of sloyders, "Manu et Menti" (with hand and mind) indicates its aim. Any one will concede that any training that will make the hand a quick, ready and accurate servant of the mind, is very valuable. The brain is developed through the sense of touch and muscular motion. This development through the sixth sense, as it is sometimes called, is as far reaching

and important as that of seeing or hearing. We have only to instance the case of Helen Keller to see what results can be obtained through this one sense alone.

This is accomplished in the lower grades by drawing, and board making and sewing, in the seventh, eighth and ninth by the use of tools and a thoroughly graded course in wood-working. We use wood in preference to other materials, because it offers less resistance and so does not discourage the pupil. Every model is to be an interesting and useful object, complete in itself, and finished in a workmanlike manner. We do not intend to teach a trade, so do not confine ourselves to shop methods, but to such methods as will give the most training to the eye, hand and mind. Full results can not be expected until the seventh grade enters the ninth having had two years experience; but in the six months' trial already given, results have been obtained that are interesting and will bear the closest inspection. The real product, however, is not the models made, but the boy with his increased power to think and execute his thoughts, making him a better and more reliable citizen.

The room is open Tuesday and Friday mornings, and parents and others are earnestly invited to call and learn more of this interesting subject.

The Sloyd work should be considered a part of the regular school work, and to that end the scholars should be marked the same as in other studies. Many instances can be given where the marks in Manual Training have saved boys who otherwise would have fallen by the way.

There should be thorough cooperation between "Sloyd," drawing and other studies, that they may not be isolated and prevented from adhering to our school system.

One objection to "Sloyd" is the price of lumber, which has steadily advanced for several years. There are about 125 scholars taking "Sloyd", and if each should use ten feet,

or a board one foot wide and ten long — not a large quantity for one year — it would require 1250 feet of lumber.

Notwithstanding this expense, no town that has introduced this subject, has ever abandoned it; while, where it has been put to popular vote, the results have been ten to one in favor of retaining it.

Respectfully yours,
WALTER F. BRACKETT,
Teacher of Sloyd.

MUSIC

Mr. Edward N. Griffin tendered his resignation as music teacher at the close of the spring term. After careful investigation, Mr. A. M. Howard was elected to the position thus vacated, and began his work in September. At the close of the fall term he resigned and Mr. Leon R. Maxwell was elected to take charge of vocal music teaching in our schools. He has just begun work with us in a very acceptable manner, and we confidently predict success.

DRAWING

The work in drawing continues along well-defined lines. The department remains in charge of Miss Cross, who has been with us for several years. Your attention is invited to her report.

Mr. C. E. Stevens, Superintendent of Schools,

Dear Sir: A good course of study in drawing involves both artistic and practical training. The aim of the artistic study is to increase the love for the beautiful, and on its practical side, to teach the pupils to apply that quickened sense in beautifying their surroundings. The practical work in freehand drawing results in ability to see truly, and to represent what is seen. The knowledge gained in a mechanical course means ability to make and read working drawings, and, in a town which has manual training, there

is also the power to construct simple objects from the working drawings.

Considering the work from these three view-points, we may see more specifically just what we have been trying to attain during the past year.

I. Artistic Appreciation. This is an important factor in a child's education. Some obtain such training at home by seeing good pictures, good books, good designs in furniture, wall paper, and other furnishings. Many, however, are dependent upon the public school for all that they know of such things. By special study of design and color and pictures, the attempt has been made to cultivate the taste of the pupils. No one who has learned the principles governing good design and color will care to buy marked violations of these principles. It often happens that not more money, but only more discrimination is required in buying. And no one who has come to love a Corot or a Turner, will place upon the walls of a room those violations of nature which we often see.

II. Practical Study in Freehand Drawing. This implies training of both eye and hand. Only one with natural ability can make artistically finished sketches of difficult subjects; for example, — out-of-door scenes, pictures of people and animals — but the average child can make fairly accurate drawings of ordinary objects. Throughout the school life, specially in the High, this power to represent comes into play. The High school teacher of physics and chemistry wishes her class to sketch the apparatus of the laboratory, the instructor in botany calls for nature drawings, and outside the school life there are many occasions when the ability to produce even a rude picture serves better than many words.

III. Practical Training in Mechanical Drawing. This is much more emphasized in the public schools of today

than ever before. The mechanical training is valuable to the girl, but even more so to the boy, who needs it in so many kinds of work. Mr. Walter Sargent, our State Supervisor of Drawing, reports that the average builder says "Teach more mechanical drawing. Only two out of a force of fifteen men can read a blue print, and thus when asked to work from one, require assistance." A special course in cardboard has been taken by the boys of the sixth and seventh grades, while the girls take sewing. In the ninth grade and in the lowest class of the High, the pupils elect either freehand or mechanical drawing for the entire year. Most of the boys take the mechanical, and, though much of the work must be from dictation, yet an attempt is being made to have some original work in both classes. There are boys, who, after practice in copying a few plans of houses from blueprints, are able to make the measurements of rooms in the High school and draw plans of the same.

Whether artistic training, freehand ability or mechanical study, we have tried to make the work of the past year of a more practical nature, and to remember that it was not artists that we were educating, but boys and girls who needed sufficient artistic training to show evidence of good taste, and who needed most of all to know how to do things.

My thanks are most heartily given to our teachers, who are always earnest in their endeavors to carry out my plans; to the School Committee and to yourself, who are ever ready to give the needed help.

Respectfully submitted,

EVELYN F. CROSS,

Supervisor of Drawing.

HIGH SCHOOL

Our High school continues to enjoy a high degree of public confidence. Each year its entering class includes a

very large part of the class completing the Grammar school. Each year it sends out graduates to higher institutions of learning. From several colleges has come testimony that our pupils have acquitted themselves in a very satisfactory manner. The credit for this good showing belongs not only to the High school, but to the entire school system, and teachers of primary and grammar grades may properly receive a part of the praise. The best High school is impossible without good Grammar schools, and Grammar schools are greatly helped by a superior High school.

It is a matter of some pride that graduates of our High school may be admitted without examination to nearly all the New England colleges.

The report of Principal Emerson follows:

MR. C. E. STEVENS, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:

DEAR SIR: I have the honor to submit herewith my eleventh annual report:

The average membership in the High school for the year beginning September 13, 1904, and ending June 30, 1905, was 134.53.

Our present enrollment is:

In four years Classical Course	50
In four years English and Modern Language Course	48
In three years English Course	12
In three years Business Course	19
Post-graduates	2
Total in High school	129
In Ninth grade	72

The greatest need of the High school is for a stronger business course. In the near future it is to be hoped ways and means may be found whereby Stenography and Typewriting may be introduced and a competent teacher employed to have charge of the business department. At the

present time eight pupils in the High school are taking private lessons in Stenography.

The various departments in the school have done good work the past year. A markedly studious spirit has prevailed, and the most cordial co-operation between pupils and teachers existed at all times.

The matter of Athletics has been less of a problem with us than in many High schools. For the most part those pupils who have engaged in Athletic games and contests have shown a commendable amount of common sense. I am sure most of our pupils would appreciate what President Roosevelt said to the Harvard Undergraduates last June, "I believe heartily in sport. I believe in out-door games. I have no sympathy with the overwrought sentimentality which would keep a young man in cotton-wool. * * * * But it is a bad thing for any college man to regard sport as the serious business of life."

The Military company continues to be a credit to the school, as in former years. The present officers are: George Ernest Bell, captain; William F. McHale, 1st lieutenant; Willard A. Moulton, 2nd lieutenant; Philip E. Buck, 1st sergeant; Clyde R. Perry, quartermaster sergeant; Arthur E. Fryer, 2nd sergeant; Ralph A. Jenkins, 3rd sergeant; John E. Dannahy, 4th sergeant; William H. Murphy, 5th sergeant; Alton W. Estes, Warren R. Sleeper, Albert L. Symmes, Charles T. Ervin, Parker Hutchins, Ira E. Bumpus, corporals; Donald Munro, musician. At the annual prize drill, Charles S. Newhall, George Ernest Bell, and Willard A. Moulton won first, second, and third prizes respectively.

The Memorial Day exercises were distinguished from the ordinary by the attendance of the Ladies Relief Corps, who presented the school with a very fine oleograph setting forth in detail the "Origin and History of the Stars and Stripes."

As was to be expected, the Alumni Reunion in December was a most delightful occasion. The roll of graduates

now numbers 617 names. Nearly one-third of this number were present. This gathering representative in the highest degree of the work of the public school system in this town for the past fifty years, is in itself the finest possible tribute to the excellence and efficiency of that system.

The thanks of teachers and pupils are hereby tendered to school officials, citizens and others who have in any way contributed to the successful school year just past.

CHARLES J. EMERSON,
Principal.

Cities and Towns	Total Expense Public Schools Excluding Repairs and Schoolhouses	Population 1905	Average Membership	Average Expense per Scholar	Per Cent Population in School
Arlington	$48 747 15	9672	1589	$30 68	16.43
Belmont	23 322 47	4361	672	35 00	15.41
Chelsea	136 492 98	37277	5904	23 12	15.84
Dedham	48 908 55	7774	1513	32 32	19.48
Everett	140 957 92	29108	5672	24 86	19.49
Hyde Park	50 222 93	14492	1815	27 67	12.52
Lexington	27 708 00	4530	803	34 50	17.73
Lynn	242 463 95	77025	9571	25 33	12.42
Malden	176 725 93	37990	6024	29 33	15.86
Medford	105 267 58	19638	3800	29 02	18.14
Melrose	82 700 81	14294	2838	29 14	19.78
Milton	64 859 00	7051	1343	48 29	19.04
Needham	20 902 66	4284	726	28 79	16.95
Quincy	111 257 33	28067	5283	21 06	18.82
Revere	67 014 68	12647	2466	27 18	19.49
Saugus	28 151 04	6252	1294	21 75	20.69
Somerville	315 904 00	69188	10917	28 94	15.77
Stoneham	25 079 88	6320	1060	23 66	16.77
Swampscott	22 887 79	5141	754	30 36	14.67
Wakefield	50 835 40	10266	2033	25 00	19.80
Waltham	96 118 41	26239	3119	30 82	11.88
Watertown	44 627 86	11202	1446	30 86	12.90
Winchester	48 235 38	8236	1622	29 74	19.69
Winthrop	35 767 86	7034	1231	29 06	17.50
Woburn	57 908 93	14401	2775	20 87	19.26

Your attention is called to the foregoing table compiled from the latest report of the Secretary of the State Board of Education. It gives certain facts in regard to the size of schools and the cost of education in the cities and towns of Greater Boston. Following the names of the town, in the first column is given the total annual cost of maintaining the public schools, excluding cost of repairs and schoolhouse construction. In column two is given the population according to the latest census. In column three is given the total average membership of all schools for the year. In column four is recorded the average annual cost per pupil, based upon the average membership. In the last column is shown the percentage of the population in school. A study of these figures leads to the interesting conclusion that the schools of Stoneham are maintained at very low average cost. Of these twenty-five places only six cities and towns appropriate less than $25 a scholar and eight expend annually more than $30 for each pupil. For the year covered by these figures we expended $23.66 a pupil, which is very near the lowest cost and much less than the average cost for the state.

It will be noticed, also, that Stoneham has fewer pupils in proportion to the population than most of the towns, except such as have private schools. For this reason, her expenditure for schools is somewhat less than might be expected.

TUITION PUPILS

The number of children living in the eastern part of Stoneham and attending school in Melrose is somewhat greater than one year ago, although about twenty from this section come to Stoneham to school. The tuition bill this year will probably exceed $1300, but I see no way to satisfactorily reduce this amount. If the the town should

require all these pupils to attend school in Stoneham, it would be necessary to open one or two additional schools and pay the cost of transportation. Without considering the dissatisfaction caused by such action, I feel certain that the expense would be quite as great as under the present arrangement.

COURSE OF STUDY

Seven years ago our course of study in Arithmetic, Geography and Language was printed. Since that time outline courses in the other subjects have been prepared and printed. These outlines have been a valuable guide, and in general should be retained. But being now about out of print, and a republication being necessary, it seems wise to reconsider and rewrite the entire course, making such changes and additions as seem desirable.

The course in Mathematics is published as an appendix to this report, and other outlines should be printed next year.

Several other topics merit early consideration, but space forbids extended discussion at this time. A simple enumeration may not be out of place.

1. The afternoon session of the public schools should begin at 1.30 p. m. and close at 3.30 p. m. throughout the year.

2. A change of the school calendar, giving four terms a year instead of three, may be wise.

3. The revision of the rules and regulations of the School Committee.

4. The complete revision of the course of study for elementary grades.

5. Medical inspectien of the schools.

6. Some form of manual training for the boys of grades five and six.

7. A change in the school organization, making the elementary course of study eight years long, and the High school course five years long, awarding a diploma at the completion of each course.

Respectfully submitted,
C. E. STEVENS, Superintendent.

Report of Truant Officer

Number of cases investigated	48
Number of cases of truancy	18
Number absent for good cause	16
Number illegally absent	14
Numbep taken to court	0
Number sent to truant school	0
Number of parents summoned to court	0

SUMNER H. GREEN,
Truant Officer.

Summary of Statistics for the Year Ending June 23, 1905

Number of children in town September 1905, from five (5) to fifteen (15) years of age	1061
Number of males	545
Number of females	516
Number between seven and fourteen	740
Whole number enrolled in all schools	1208
Number of males	624
Number of females	584
Number less than five	3
Number over fifteen	200
Number between seven and fourteen	751

Number five years of age	98
Number six years of age	102
Number seven years of age	100
Number eight years of age	114
Number nine years of age	116
Number ten years of age	123
Number eleven years of age	110
Number twelve years of age	95
Number thirteen years of age	91
Number fourteen years of age	61
Average membership for the year	1091
Average attendance for the year	1024
Percentage of attendance	93.8
Number of tardinesses	1695
Number of dismissals	708
Average membership, Fall term 1905	1106
Average attendance, Fall term 1905	1060
Percentage of attendance, Fall term 1905	95.9
Number of regular teachers employed	29
Number of different schools	25
Number of visits, not including those of Committee and Superintendent	2127

Graduation Exercises of the Class of 1905, Stoneham High School, Wednesday, June 28, 1905.

PROGRAM

Selection.

Orchestra.

The Wedding Bells Begin to Play. *Lecocq*

Chorus.

Prayer.

Rest "Melody in F." *Rubenstein*

Chorus.

Essay. The Woman's College of the Future
Flora Annie Thornton (Second Honor.)

Essay. The Training and Duties of a Professional Nurse.
Mary J. Lewis.

Essay. The "Merit System" in Civil Service.
Anastasia M. Finnegan.

Vocal Solo. Goodbye. *Tosti*

Mabel B. Wilson.

Essay. Roger's Rangers.
*Mary B. Stevens (First Honor.)

Essay. The Power of Knowledge.
Bertha E. Hinchcliffe.

Essay. A Plea for the Art of Reading.
Ethel J. Durfee.

Class History.

Robert E. Connors.

The Bee and the Dove *Cowen*

Glee Club.

Essay. The Education of the American Girl.
Bertha G. Walker.

Class Prophecy.

Roy A. Hovey.

Essay. College Settlement Work.
*Frances O. Stevens (First Honor.)

Award of Diplomas.

Pilgrim Chorus from "I Lombardi." *Verdi*

Chorus.

Benediction.

*Equal Rank.

Graduates

CLASSICAL COURSE, Four Years

Violet Jane Delano
Anastasia Mary Finnegan
Mary Jane Lewis
Mary Burnham Stevens
Bertha Gertrude Walker
Ethel Josephine Durfee
Bertha Elizabeth Hinchcliffe
Frances Osgood Stevens
Flora Annie Thornton
Mabel Banks Wilson

ENGLISH COURSE, Four Years

Edward Lawrence Brady
Richard Russell Ervin
Mildred Stevens Green
Roy Albert Hovey
Harry Winthrop Mellett
Alonzo Robert Parks
Sidney Arthur Patchett
Thomas Russell Symmes
Robert Emmet Connors
David Stuart Grant, Jr
Priscilla Gardner Hinchcliffe
Roland Ellis Hutchins
Charles Sumner Newhall
Ernest Llewellyn Patch
Susan Johnston Rollins
Lester Davison Tarbett

ENGLISH COURSE, Three Years

Walter Park Houston
Rose Cecelia McGovern
Daniel Winn Poore
Lottie Evelyn Jackson
George Russell Mann
Carl Joseph Symonds
Edna Pearl Vinton

BUSINESS COURSE, Three Years

Julia Serena Dimock
Thomas Francis McPartland

Enrollment by Grade and Age, September, 1905

Age	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	Totals
Grade I	7	89	35	7	4	2	1	...	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	146
" II	....	6	69	46	15	5	...	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	142
" III	....	....	2	50	44	29	13	8	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	148
" IV	....	....	....	6	42	36	34	14	7	2	....	....	....	....	....	141
" V	....	....	....	....	3	27	28	15	8	3	1	....	....	....	....	85
" VI	....	....	....	....	....	2	20	46	27	13	2	....	....	....	....	110
" VII	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	21	32	20	9	4	....	....	....	92
" VIII	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7	24	26	17	6	....	....	....	80
" IX	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	15	36	19	3	....	....	77
" X	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	1	16	22	9	2	1	52
" XI (High School)	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	10	15	8	1	36
" XII (High School)	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	5	16	5	28
" XIII (High School)	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	7	11	19
Totals	7	95	106	109	108	101	102	111	107	80	83	64	32	33	18	1156

List of Present Teachers

SCHOOL, GRADE, DATE OF ELECTION AND PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

Name	School	Grade	Date of Election	PresMem
Charles J. Emerson	High	X-XIII	July, 1895	129
Alice L. Robinson	"	"	March, 1900	
Florence L. Sherman	"	"	August, 1904	
Viola J. Turner	"	"	July, 1904	
Grace E. Wade	"	"	December, 1905	
Leonora Bessey	"	IX	March, 1905	36
Eva M. Garland	"	"	July, 1905	36
Eva F. Hard	Dean	VIII	July, 1872	39
Ethel M. Paige	"	"	August, 1904	40
Alice V. Peyton	"	VII	March, 1885	44
Ermina Dike	"	"	August, 1881	45
Fannie A. Davis	"	VI	July, 1903	46
Kathrine A. Devlin	"	"	July, 1899	43
Alice H. Smith	Center	V	July, 1897	42
Lilley B. Sweetser	"	IV	March, 1900	44
Florence C. Meriam	"	III	June, 1901	41
Alice M. Walsh	"	II	July, 1899	42
Kathleen E. Desmond	"	I	July, 1903	32
Cora E. Green	North	IV V	July, 1876	33
Mary E. Brown	"	III IV	April, 1905	31
Lisle M. Irving	"	I II	December, 1903	50
Nellie G. Delay	East	V VI	March, 1904	39
Ethel E. Asker	"	IV	June, 1905	38
M. Elizabeth Gilson	"	II III	July, 1903	41
Lilla F. Tarbett	"	I	March, 1898	35
Harriet I. P. Upton	South	IV V	July, 1895	43
Laura M. Sanford	"	III	December, 1904	45
Mary C. Scally	"	II	July, 1905	41
Mary E. T. Young	"	I	March, 1898	46
Leon R. Maxwell	Music	.....	January, 1906	.....
Evelyn F. Cross	Drawing	.....	July, 1895	.....
George R. Barnstead	Mil. Inst.	.....	September, 1899	.....
Frances M. Carr	Sewing	.....	March, 1905	.....
Walter F. Brackett	Sloyd	.....	April, 1905	.....

Table of Statistics for the Year Ending June 22, 1905

Teachers	Enrollment	Boys	Girls	Over 15	Under 5	Between 7 & 14	Av. Mem.	Av. Atten.	Pr.Ct. Atten.	Tardinesses	Dismissals	Visitors
C. J. Emerson	143	79	64	140	0	1	134.5	129.2	96	180	151	121
Lenora Bessey	40	15	25	29	0	2	35.4	33	93	40	50	102
Mercy Walker	38	13	25	24	0	2	36.2	34.5	95.3	39	49	95
Eva F. Hard	41	18	23	1	0	29	37.4	34.9	95	45	47	132
Ethel M. Page	39	19	20	3	0	28	37.5	35.7	95	40	34	132
Alice V. Peyton	56	30	26	0	0	46	46.4	43.1	92.7	50	60	78
Ermina Dike	51	24	27	1	0	43	48.2	45.8	95	72	61	55
F. A. Davis	37	16	21	0	0	35	44	41.7	94.9	104	27	87
Alice H. Smith	46	24	22	0	0	45	44 4	41.7	94	114	9	58
Lilley B. Sweetser	43	24	19	0	0	43	40.9	39.1	95	48	10	60
Florence C. Meriam	37	22	15	0	0	37	42.7	40.5	94 6	49	17	99
Alice M. Walsh	48	25	23	0	0	29	49.1	38.7	91.8	88	27	108
Kathleen E. Desmond	43	29	14	0	1	3	39.7	36.4	91.5	84	6	59
Cora E. Green	50	26	24	0	0	49	44.4	42.2	95	119	28	48
Mary E. Brown	32	11	21	0	0	32	27.9	25	92.5	35	10	54
L. M. Sanford	36	15	21	0	0	33	29 8	27.6	93	56	15	43
Lisle M. Irving	50	21	29	0	0	14	41.7	37.8	90	50	3	120
Nellie G. Delay	49	29	20	1	0	48	40.8	38.8	94 9	38	23	129
Nellie I. Keene	51	30	21	0	0	46	46.9	44.4	94	97	15	63
Elizabeth Gilson	45	21	24	0	0	45	37.8	35	91	99	14	102
Lilla F. Tarbett	33	15	18	0	1	4	23.2	21.1	90.5	44	11	73
Kathrine A. Devlin	55	37	18	0	0	55	42.7	41	95	27	16	59
H. I. P. Upton	56	32	24	0	0	54	44.7	42.3	94.5	46	7	80
Bessie M. Small	46	24	22	0	0	23	43.3	39.6	91.4	49	6	82
Mary P. Young	43	25	18	1	1	5	38.4	34.5	89.6	82	12	88

Course of Study in Mathematics, 1905

GENERAL DIRECTIONS

1. Each teacher should study the entire course, that she may obtain a broad view of the work, give intelligent and regular reviews, and be properly influenced in her plans and methods by previews of higher grade outlines.

2. Teach each new process objectively at first. When pupils can think readily without objects, discontinue their use.

3. There should be much oral work in all grades. It is more important than written work and should always precede it. It should be easy enough to permit the pupils to give their chief attention to the reasoning process.

4. In assigning lessons a minimum amount should be required of all, and an additional amount may be provided for the more rapid workers. Pupils quick in one study and slow in another should be allowed to use part of the study period of the former to lengthen the study time of the latter.

5. Develop the use of language, oral and written. Explanations should be required, but not in any set form, although loose, indefinite statements should not pass unnoticed. Neat and careful work should always be required.

Grade I.

1. Recognition of numbers through ten by counting, without counting and through simple constructive work with measures.

2. Counting by ones, by tens, and by fives to 100.

3. Writing and reading Arabic numbers to 100, but no formal figure work.

4. Inch, foot, yard; pint, quart; cent, nickel, dime; square inch; cubic inch.

Grade II

1. Recognition of numbers from one to one hundred. Teach pupils to count to 100 by 1, 10, 5; then by 2, 3 and 4. Count backward.

2. Writing and reading of numbers from one to 1000, noting carefully the significance of the position of figures. Roman numerals to XII.

3. Make a careful study of numbers from one to twenty. Much practice in estimating length, area, volume and weight. Test by actual measurement. Comparison of lengths and area.

4. Teach the fractions $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{3}$ in their relation to the foot, yard, quart, etc.; also of whole numbers.

5. Addition of columns of one figure; simple work in subtraction; very simple problems.

6. Denominate numbers, as in previous grade.

Grade III

1. Review the work of previous grade. Continue the study and comparison of lines, surfaces, solids; estimating and measuring length, area, volume and weight. Find areas of square and oblong rectangles; of right-angles and triangles.

2. Writing and reading of numbers to 1000. Roman numerals to XX.

3. Teach the facts which occur in the multiplication and division tables to 100. Much rapid oral drill on numbers less than 20. Oral work in division with a remainder. Counting by 1's, 2's, 5's and 10's to 200; by 3's 4's and 6's to 100.

4. *Written work.* Addition in columns of two figures; subtraction, using terms of not more than two figures; multiplication and division, using no number of more than two

figures, and no multiplier or divisor greater than 10. Many simple problems.

5. *Denominate Numbers.* Review and extend the work of previous grade. Add the measuring units peck, bushel; minute, hour, day; ounce, pound.

6. *Fractions.* Review previous work. Teach $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{2}{4}$, $\frac{3}{4}$; $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{2}{3}$, $\frac{1}{6}$; $\frac{2}{5}$, $\frac{3}{5}$, $\frac{4}{5}$ of whole numbers. Teach objectively by use of divided rectangles. Objective comparison of halves and fourths; of thirds and sixths.

Grade IV

1. Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of integers involving no number higher than four figures, and no multiplier or divisor of more than two figures. Multiplication tables through 12x12. Counting as in previous grade.

2. Write and read numbers to one hundred thousand. Careful attention to the significance of the position of figures. Roman numerals to C.

3. *Denominate Numbers.* Measures of length, weight, volume, time and capacity reviewed and applied. Special attention to Long Measure, Liquid Measure, Dry Measure and United States Money. Memorize tables.

4. *Fractions.* Reduction of simple mixed numbers and improper fractions. Addition and subtraction of fractions whose common denominator may be found by inspection. Addition and subtraction of mixed numbers. In both oral and written work give special attention to the fractions in common use: $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{2}{3}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{3}{4}$, $\frac{1}{5}$, $\frac{2}{5}$, $\frac{3}{5}$, $\frac{4}{5}$, $\frac{1}{6}$, $\frac{5}{6}$, $\frac{1}{8}$, $\frac{3}{8}$, $\frac{5}{8}$, $\frac{7}{8}$.

5. Teach the per cent equivalents of $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{2}{3}$, $\frac{3}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{10}$. Simple applications, oral work only.

6. Develop clear ideas of right angle, acute angle,

and obtuse angle. Find area of cube and square prism. Find cubic contents of square prism.

Grade V

1. The fundamental operations with integers involving the use of numbers of not more than seven figures. Careful oral drill, especially addition. Factoring, prime factor, common factor, greatest common factor,—using numbers occurring as products in the multiplication table.

2. Writing and reading of whole numbers of nine figures; of decimals through thousandths.

3. *Fractions.* Addition, subtraction, multiplication, division and reduction of fractions, easy work. Use largely the fractions given in grade IV, or fractions whose common denominators occur as products in the multiplication tables. Applied problems.

4. Addition, substraction, multiplication and division of decimals, using not more than three decimal places. Lead pupils to see reason for "pointing off" by using at first many simple examples. In the beginning the multiplier and divisor should be a whole number.

5. Review tables of denominate numbers previously taught. Applied problems. Reduction. Addition and subtraction limited to two successive denominate units.

6. *Percentage.* Continue the work of the preceding grade, using the same rates and making the problems more difficult. Oral and written work. Apply the language of decimals.

7. Review and extend the work of topic 6, grade IV.

Grade VI

1. *Common Fractions.* Finish the subject, with particular attention to principles and rules.

2. *Decimals.* Careful review. Thorough drill in writing decimals and "pointing off" Complete the subject.

3. *Denominate Numbers.* All the tables except Troy Weight, Angular Measure, Surveyor's Measure, and Apothecary's Weight. Many applied problems. Multiplication and division, briefly.

4. *Percentage.* Drill on easy problems involving the finding of percentage and rate. Make a beginning with problems in trade discount and gain and loss. Use such problems as would actually occur in business.

5. Greatest common divisor, least common multiple and cancellation. Avoid needless difficulties.

6. Find entire surface of square pyramid and develop rule. By drawing and cutting, teach pupils that the area of a circle is equal to an oblong with length equal to one half of the circumference, and width equal to the radius. Surface of cylinder, length and diameter being given. Many practical problems.

Grade VII

1. Review the work of previous grades, especially common fractions, with special reference to principles and rules. Review decimals carefully.

2. Percentage, trade discount, profit and loss, commission and brokerage, and insurance, carefully and thoroughly taught. Pupils should clearly understand the nature and purpose of each topic and the business transactions involved.

3. *Taxes.* Explain purpose and necessity. Discuss local taxes. Poll tax. Personal property tax. Tax on real estate. Income tax. How assessments are made. How tax rate is determined.

4. Simple interest and applied problems. Ratio and proportion. Develop objectively the idea of proportion.

5. Area of parallellogram, rhombus, rhomboid. Comparison of square, rectangle, rhombus, rhomboid and triangle as to number of sides, direction of sides, number and kind of angles.

Grade VIII

1. Review of trade discount, simple proportion, factoring, cancellation, greatest common divisor and least common multiple. Frequent exercises in reading problems and "forecasting" the answers. Rapid oral work often.

2. Bank discount, compound interest, and simple partnership. Give special attention to banks and their methods of doing business.

3. Custom house business. Discuss tariff; revenue of national government and how collected; different kinds of duties.

4. Surveyor's measure. Show clearly the way in which public lands are divided in the government surveys. Angular measure. A thorough study of circles, measurements of angles, and the terms circumference, diameter, radius, axis, degrees, arc, great and small circles. Measurement of angles on a sphere. Longitude and time. Many practical problems.

5. Many practical problems pertaining to the work of carpenters, bricklayers and masons.

Grade IX

1. Review work of previous grades, giving special attention to common and decimal fractions, percentage, simple and compound interest, and discount. Business methods.

2. Practical payments, (U. S. rule only); stocks and bonds; Square Root of whole numbers, fractions and decimals; exchange, briefly; Cube Root.

3. Measuration. Review of previous work. Many practical problems.

4. Algebra half the year. Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of positive and negative quantities. The binomial theorem. The use of parenthesis. Factoring. Fractions. A large number of practical problems not too difficult.

5. Single entry bookkeeping.

GRADE X

1. Bookkeeping.
2. Algebra.
3. Inventional and Constructive Geometry.

GRADE XI

1. Bookkeeping.
2. Plane Geometry.

GRADE XII

1. Solid Geometry.

GRADE XIII

1. Review Algebra and Geometry.

Report of the

Board of Health

TO THE CITIZENS OF STONEHAM:

Your Board of Health submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1905:

In the early part of the year several of the residents of the town were much troubled on account of the gas leaking from defective mains. On authority obtained from the Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, we se-

cured legal advice and compelled the gas company to repair the mains, an order of the Court ordering them to do the same at once.

We have also done our best to co-operate with the citizens in the extermination of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth, and while our efforts were not wholly successful, still we hope for better results in the future, and we herewith wish to thank the people of Stoneham for their good will and help in whatever we have undertaken.

In the spring of the year the Board refused to grant a permit to a party for the purpose of erecting a large stable on Franklin street, where the Quinn factory now stands. The refusal was made on account of a petition received and a public meeting held with a view to protecting the abuttors and owners of property in the vicinity.

In regard to the smoke nuisance on the site of the old Tidd tannery, we notified the American Hide and Leather Company in regard to the same and a notice was posted cautioning all persons to discontinue burning or dumping rubbish there.

Your Board wishes to recommend three propositions for the improvement of the health of the town :

First. That a drinking fountain be placed in Central Square for the use of the public. In times past people have been seen drinking from the horse fountain now in said square.

Second. That all cases of Tuberculosis (or Consumption) be reported to the Board, also where a death or recovery has occurred from the same, so that the premises may be thoroughly fumigated, and thus help to prevent the spread of the dread disease.

Third. That a Medical Inspector of Schools be appointed by the Board, the same as they have in other cities and towns, and thereby help to prevent contagion.

There have been reported to the Board during the year the following contagious diseases:

Scarlet Fever	8
Measles	26
Typhoid	1
Diphtheria	0

Respectfully submitted,

MARTYN D. SHEEHAN,
GEORGE A HINCHCLIFFE,
JOHN C. C. SMALL,
Board of Health.

To the Board of Health:

Gentlemen: — I submit the following as the report of your agent fer the year ending December 31, 1905:

Number of permits issued to plumbers	78
Number of cases of contagious diseases reported	35
Scarlet Fever	8
Measles	26
Typhoid Fever	1
Number of deaths reported	117
Number of burial permits issued	98
Number from other towns	19

	MALES	FEMALES
Still Births	6	2
Under One Year	3	3
Between One and Two Years	3	1
" Two and Three Years	0	1
" Three and Four Years	1	0
" Four and Five Years	0	0
" Five and Ten Years	0	3
" Ten and Twenty Years	2	1
" Twenty and Thirty Years	1	5
" Thirty and Forty Years	5	4

Between Forty and Fifty Years.....	1	6
" Fifty and Sixty Years.....	7	7
" Sixty and Seventy Years.....	7	15
" Seventy and Eighty Years.....	14	6
" Eighty and Ninety Years.....	7	4
" Ninety and One Hundred Years...	2	0
	59	58

Average Age of 59 Males..... 50
Average Age of 58 Females..... 37

Yours very respectfully,
GEORGE N. GREEN,
Agent Board of Health.

To the Honorable Board of Health:

Gentlemen: — During the past year it has been, as ever, my aim and effort to perform faithfully and impartially the duties pertaining to my office, without fear or favor, having always in mind the fact that it is better to incur the displeasure of here and there an individual by refusing to approve unsanitary work, than to jeopardize the health and perhaps the lives of the community, by allowing plumbing to be performed in an unsafe or imperfect manner in order to avoid temporary censure from persons who are ignorant or careless of the rules of sanitation.

The ordinance in regard to plumbing in the town of Stoneham is based upon a good, substantial theory, and is in vogue in almost every city and town in the state, a little different perhaps in some respects, but with one result: "good sanitary arrangements for the people with as little expense as possible." I have also inaugurated the "card system" for all work performed since 1894, as far as any records can be found, and when completed should be a valuable asset to the Board.

The following is the table of work for the year ending December 31, 1905:

Number of applications received	78
" " permits granted	78
" " new houses connected with the sewer	7
" " " " " " cesspools	7
" " " stables " " sewer	1
" " old buildings " " sewer	31
" " additions, alterations and repairs	35
" " water closets installed	91
" " sinks "	67
" " bath tubs "	59
" " wash bowls "	57
" " sets of wash trays "	17
" " urinals "	1
" " ice chests "	3
" " new traps "	4
" " horse stalls "	3
" " drinking troughs "	1
Total number sewer connections	38
Total number fixtures installed	294

In conclusion I wish to thank the Board and the Master Plumbers for hearty co-operation in the enforcement of the new ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. BARKER,

Inspector of Plumbing.

Report of the

Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

I herewith submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1905.

Whole number Scales, Weights, Measures, Milk Cans and Bottles Inspected		8,024
Whole number found Correct and Sealed	6,151	
Whole number Incorrect and Condemned	1,873	
		8,024

WILSON A. BARTLETT,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Report of the
Board of Auditors

School Department

Appropriation	$27,200.00
Received from State	110.00
" " Tuition	12.50
" " Woman's Club, Acct Man. Train.	69.20
	$27,391.70
Expended	27,379.20
Unexpended	$12.50

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

C. E. Stevens	$940.00
C. J. Emerson	1,615.00
M. E. Buzzell	440.00
A. L. Robinson	572.50
V. J. Turner	542.50
F. L. Sherman	572.50
V. H. Taber	187.00
L. Bessey	328.50
C. J. Allen	150.00

M. A. Walker	$300.00
E. Garland	170.00
E. F. Hard	478.50
E. M. Paige	478.50
A. V. Peyton	478.50
E. A. Dike	478.50
F. A. Davis	431.50
A. H. Smith	431.50
C. E. Green	455.00
N. G. Delay	455.00
K. Devlin	431.50
F. C. Meriam	431.50
L. B. Sweetser	455.00
N. I. Keene	247.50
M. E. Corcoran	135.00
H. I. P. Upton	455.00
L. M. Sanford	531.50
K. Desmond	431.50
A. M. Walsh	431.50
L. M. Ervin	431.50
M. Brown	296.50
F. Graham	22.50
E. E. Asker	161.50
E. M. Gilson	431.50
L. F. Tarbett	431.50
B. M. Small	270.00
M. E. Young	431.50
M. A. Scally	161.50
A. M. Howard	136.00
E. F. Cross	376.00
E. N. Griffin	240.00
G. R. Barnstead	94.00
F. M. Carr	131.10
W. F. Brackett	259.20

R. K. Brown, Janitor High.....	$614.86
G. J. Child, " Dean.....	570.00
L. E. Sweetser, " North	308.74
E. P. Dodge, " South.....	308.74
C. Poor, " East.....	308.74
G. P. Mann, Secretary.....	102.58
W. A. Smith, "	31.25
Peoples Gas & Electric Co., Gas..	23.34
Woburn Lt. Ht. & Power Co.....	22.00
Edison Electric Light Co.....	12.01
S. H. Green, Truant Officer.....	10.20
J. Butler, Transporting Scholars..	354.50
American Express Co.....	1.20
C. Baldwin, Stock and Labor.....	183.65
Stretton & Hutchinson, Stock and Labor.	1.15
J. B. Swan, Stock and Labor.....	71.05
I. R. Roberts, Cleaning Clocks....	5.00
W. J. Hole, Stock and Labor.....	.81
City of Melrose, Tuition	1,465.55
" " Woburn, "	10.00
Town of Wakefield, "	139.38
C. E. Stevens, Supplies.....	21.53
H. H. Richardson, "	5.86
E. P. Dodge, "	11.45
C. Poor, Labor	13.16
G. J. Child, "	121.80
R. K. Brown, "	131.15
Chas. Brown, Wood.....	183.00
R. N. Yancey, Stock and Labor...	1.75
W. McElwain, Slating.....	210.35
H. Mellett, Orchestra.....	10.00
Bell Hdw. Co., Supplies.....	26.23
C. H. Walker & Co., Fuel.....	1,461.05

Taylor Furness Coal Co.,	Fuel....	$778.10
J. S. Lewis,	Printing.....	6.25
F. L. & W. E. Whittier,	Printing	55.20
F. Kelley,	Printing.....	11.50
J. J. Claffy,	Stock and Labor	5.39
C. W. Houghton,	" "	213.79
S. G. Sweetser,	" "	200.62
A. J. Smith,	" "	138.48
L. Hoyt,	" "	16.48
Copeland & Bowser,	Supplies.....	9.15
H. L. Elliott,	Labor.....	1.00
J. Sullivan,	"	21.60
B. E. Brown,	"	5.00
Blanchard Kendall Co.,	Supplies...	66.71
W. F. Wheeler,	Teaming.....	17.85
E. J. C. McKeen,	Repairing Flags.	.75
W. E. Clark,	Supplies.....	.35
J. H. McNeil,	Stock and Labor....	12.00
W. C. Whitcher,	Supplies.....	8.80
A. Derby,	Labor.....	60.00
C. E. Coffin,	Supplies.....	40.00
H. T. Mellett,	"	6.00
T. A. Mulroney,	Stock and Labor..	15.50
A. A. Hayward,	School Census....	14.00
D. S. Grant,	"	26.00
Car Fares.....	.....	143.57
L. E. Knott App Co.,	Supplies	19.50
D. C. Heath & Co.,	"	25.88
D. Appleton Co.,	"	36.82
Maynard, Merrill & Co.	"	1.00
J. L. Hammett Co.,	"	334.79
E. L. Patch Co.,	"	23.58
American Book Co.,	"	137.77
Thorp & Martin Co.,	"	27.70

B. H. Sanborn & Co.,	Supplies	$10.59
C. W. Homeyer & Co.,	"	7.65
A. W. Hale Sc. Co.,	"	81.02
Kenney Bros. & Walkins,	"	119.14
Houghton, Mifflin Co.,	"	6.72
Ginn & Co.,	"	169.26
F. Doane & Co.,	"	2.60
A. Storrs & Bement Co.,	"	4.75
Cook-Vivian Co.,	"	4.67
Meade, Dodge & Co.,	"	3.90
Silver, Burdett & Co.	"	151.21
Wadsworth, Howland & Co.,	"	32.94
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover,	"	7.95
W. Read Co.,	"	2.25
Holden Pat. Bk. Cover Co.,	"	46.13
W. H. Sprague, P. M.,	"	10.60
Bay State Card and Paper Co.,	"	7.50
F. J. Barnard & Co.,	"	36.84
Frost & Adams Co.,	"	4.00
Ames Plow Co.,	"	4.90
Chandler & Barbour	"	361.69
Higgins, Snow & Co.,	"	11.00
E. E. Babb & Co.,	"	16.24
Oak Hall Clo. Co.,	"	6.75
Palmer Co.,	"	10.00
Amer. School Furniture Co.,	"	2.75
C. C. Blanchard & Co.,	"	.80
G. J. Rollins,	"	28.50
Badger Fire Ext. Co.,	"	8.34
O. S. Houghton,	"	34.05
E. N. Griffin,	"	10.00
Novello, Ewer & Co.,	"	.78
Eagle Pencil Co.,	"	40.42
Murphy, Leavens & Co.,	"	16.75

Shephard, Clark Co.,	Supplies	$1.20	
Carter, Rice Co.,	"	.85	
Blodgett Clock Co.,	"	.52	
F. A. Furnecke,	"	5.82	
Thompson, Brown & Co.,	"	3.25	
B. & M. R. R. Co., Frt.....		.47	
T. F. Burtt, Safe and Case.....		35.00	
A. P. Rhoades, Lettering....		12.95	
H. F. Miller & Sons Co., Piano...		10.00	
			$27,379.20

Poor Department

Inventory Jan. 1, 1906		$4,776.18
Appropriation.....		5,000.00
Received from State, Cities and Towns.....		843.20
Received from Almshouse.....		2,276.12
Due from State, Cities and Towns.....		597.00
		$13,492.50
Inventory Jan. 1, 1905.	$5,083.39	
Due from State, Cities and Towns, Jan, 1, 1905.....	246.25	
Expended	7,218.00	
		$12,547.64
Unexpended		$944.86

ALMSHOUSE

Detail of Expenditure

H. H. Lufler, Superintendent.....	$240.00
H. H. Lufler, Supplies.....	123.75
L. W. Colburn, Superintendent	375.02
L. W. Colburn, Supplies.....	448.56

H. Stone,	Labor.....	$5.40
C. Morris,	"	67.50
G. Thompson,	"	54.30
C. Cephas,	"	4.75
C. F. Chapman,	"	164.60
J. Chapman,	"	145.16
G. H. Atkinson;	Supplies.....	296.15
Copeland & Bowser,	"	6.92
J. B. Sanborn,	"	9.60
A. W. Rice,	"	8.90
S. P. Finnegan,	"	19.67
Gerry & Philbric,	"	18.43
W. C. Whitcher,	"	473.60
F. W. Aiken,	"	31.50
E. L. Patch Co.,	"	9.60
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	36.82
A. S. Hovey,	"	49.42
Curley Bros.,	"	134.53
McKenna Bros.,	"	42.30
Bowman & Co.,	"	16.58
Blanchard,Kendall&Co,	"	33.75
Taylor,FurnessCoalCo.,	"	575.95
L. C. Shaw,	"	28.60
W. E. Clark,	"	3.13
F. A. Richardson,	"	26.25
W. O. Harding & Co.,	"	1.50
W. F. Gordon,	"	.90
S. K. Ames,	"	12.00
Cutler Bros.,	"	1.50
Deferrari Bros.,	"	2.51
Holden Bros.,	"	35.39
G. Anderson,	"	3.75
F. P. Ross,	"	19.88
H. P. Josslyn,	"	2.00

A. & D. Bramer,	Supplies.....	$12.00	
Murray Bros.,	"	1.50	
E. E. Gray Co.,	"	5.74	
G. V. Wattendorf,	"	9.05	
Fowle, Hibbard & Co.,	"	5.50	
Morrill, Atwood Co.,	"	41.00	
P. Doucette,	Stock and Labor	12.85	
Stretton&Hutchinson,	"	5.15	
M. H. O'Brien,	"	7.58	
R. Ervin,	"	10.25	
C, W. Houghton,	"	24.59	
H. E. Hersam,	"	3.00	
T. R. McNelly,	"	10.35	
G. H. Allen, D.V.S.,	Services.....	11.00	
A. H. Cowdrey, M.D.,	"	150.00	
A. H. Cowdrey, M.D.,	Supplies...	4.25	
N. E. T. & T. Co.,	Tolls..	23.62	
E. E. Mills,	Supplies	238.00	
M. Coleman & Son,	Wagon.....	75.00	
			$4,179.60

OUTSIDE POOR

Leon Gay	$169.46
H. W. Dale	12.08
A. H. Clark	169.45
E. E. Doucette..	59.25
Ada Hill.....	104.00
C. A. Austin..	121.00
I. Thompson	54.40
E. Roach.....	126.75
L. A. Thomas.....	78.00
W. Quinlan.....	78.00
M. Welch.....	70.75
W. T. Quinlan.....	3.75

M. Day	$48.50
W. Keating	110.00
M. Cass	93.96
M. Cloutman	75.00
M. Junio	47.25
W. Latham	104.30
D. Dullea	3.45
C. W. Marsh	78.00
S. F. Potter	12.00
R. Donahue	4.00
A. M. Johnson	26.98
M. Kelly	41.71
H. A. Willey	4.00
Thomas McKenna	101.79
P. Higgins	30.25
J. Sullivan	19.00
F. Willey	67.18
E. A. Melbourne	10.50
O. McNamee	10.00
J. Bryant	273.10
W. P. Howard	9.29
W. Smith	7.50
D. Willey	2.00
E. Boudreau	20.00
S. H. Green, Feeding Tramps	19.50
M. C. Rich, Duxbury	272.00
H. C. Marshall, State	65.00
J. F. Thornton, Peabody	106.25
J. Logue, Boston	8.00
C. H. Ryder, Wakefield	73.75
S. Card, Wakefield	13.75
E. D. Casey, Wakefield	20.50
J. H. McCarty, Melrose	137.00
M. King, State	74.00

M. Donahue, Wakefield..... $2.00

$3,038.40

State Aid

Wm. Arnold.....	$60.00	Mary Arnold.....	$48.00
A. A. Andrews.....	72.00	Margaret Andrews..	48.00
D. A. Abbott.....	72.00	M. F. Ames.....	60.00
S. E. Burdick.....	48.00	E. W. Burbank	48.00
J. S. Briggs.....	30.00	Mary Briggs.....	48.00
A. J. G. Burdick...	48.00	S. Berry, Jr	48.00
G. L. Call.....	72.00	Nettie Callahan.....	48.00
Ann Campbell.....	48.00	G. A. Chubbuck....	72.00
C. Crosby	48.00	B. A. Cheever.....	48.00
J. Clough.....	48.00	T. J. Cobbett.....	48.00
M. G. Crooker.....	48.00	D. P. Cook.....	36.00
M. J. Dempsey.....	72.00	M. Dempsey.....	48.00
A. A. Downs	24.00	C. Dow.....	48.00
M. R. Emery	48.00	M. Eaton	48.00
E. Eaton	48.00	W. F. Elliott.....	120.00
P. Finn	44.00	M. J. Freeman	48.00
L. A. Foster.....	36.00	J. S. Gilmore	48.00
J. C. Green.....	48.00	S. A. Gould.....	48.00
M. Hamill.....	48.00	S. G. Hanson.....	12.00
E. Hanson.....	48.00	L. J. Harris	48.00
A. Hogan.....	48.00	W. F. Hadley	72.00
A. A. Hopkins.....	48.00	N. Healey.....	48.00
B. W. Howard.....	48.00	W. P. Howe.....	48.00
G. H. Jenkins.....	48.00	Emma Johnson.....	48.00
L. A. Jones	48.00	A. Harriman.....	72.00
F. E. Hartwell.....	13.50	Hartwell	28.00
O. Kelly	48.00	A. J. Kempton	12.00
M. L. Hook.....	54.00	Abbie Hurd.....	12.00
L. F. Lynde.....	72.00	Olive Lynde.....	48.00

J. M. Lincoln	$48.00	S. J. Clay	$12.00
M. A. Marden	48.00	L. A. Mason	48.00
A. McCall	48.00	John McCarty	72.00
T. McCarthy	12.00	S. B. Martin	24.00
F. F. Murphy	48.00	C. Wood	48.00
B. F. McAllister	72.00	H. O. Mansfield	48.00
J. W. Nevers	48.00	L. A. Nevers	48.00
M. O'Brien	12.00	G. W. Osgood	72.00
E. F. Perry	48.00	A. J. Pierce	48.00
N. G. Pierce	72.00	M. Purcell	72.00
O. Pasho	16.00	C. N. Persons	48.00
E. A. Perry	48.00	C. W. Pond	72.00
J. W. Pringle	8.00	E. Robbins	48.00
P. Rafferty	60.00	B. M. Sheridan	48.00
G. P. Stevens	48.00	E. A. Sturtevant	48.00
L. G. Sturtevant	48.00	M. Sullivan	42.00
J. M. Sargent	48.00	S. S. Stevens	48.00
G. H. Spooner	72.00	M. C. Sweetser	48.00
H. A. Stevens	48.00	B. M. Smith	18.00
W. T. Terry	48.00	M. P. Terry	48.00
T. G. Taft	72.00	M. A. Taylor	48.00
H. M. Whitehouse	36.00	J. E. Wiley	65.00
S. H. Willey	36.00	A. F. Willey	58.00
M. A. Winslow	48.00	L. E. Welch	48.00
E. E. Wilson	24.00	N. F. Wright	48.00
G. W. Whitney	48.00	J. Whittaker	48.00
J. C. Young	48.00		
R. C. Young	72.00		$5,400.50

This amount is returned by the State

Military Aid

Appropriation	$100.00
Expended	184.00

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

G. E. Sturtevant	$120.00	
H. A. Long	64.00	
		$184.00

One half of this amount is refunded by State

Soldier's Relief

Appropriation	$3,000.00
Received from Cities and Towns	271.00
	$3,271.00
Expended	3,998.54
Overdrawn	$727.54

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Abbie Ames	$72.00	H. E. Maxfield	$125.00
E S. Robbins	110.40	W. F. Elliott	120.00
Mrs. J. E. Frederick	48.00	D. A. Abbott	100.00
M. Murphy	120.00	B. F. McAlister	96.00
Mrs. A. A. Cooley	96.00	O. V. Marr	60.00
M. H. Ellis	48.00	G. W. Osgood	159.00
E. J. Bean	96.00	E. F. Perry	120.00
L. B. Black	60.00	L. G. Sturtevant	60.00
Mrs. G. N. Seaman	180.00	M. C. Bemis	181.00
H. A. Long	198.48	Mrs. H. Campbell	78.00
R. C. Young	9.35	M. C. Holt	140.00
M. C. Mason	44.80	M. O'Brien	49.80
J. S. Briggs	163.60	M. Purcell	150.45
B. J. Cheever	72.00	Henry Howard	210.00
J. Webb	147.00	F. E. Hartwell	75.00
N. G. Pierce	79.05	C. W. Pond	3.60
D. Atwood	27.00	T. Taft	48.00

O. Pasho	50.00	G. H. Chubbuck	260.00
G. H. Jenkins	20.00	Mrs. R. C. Smith	75.00
I. F. Bickford	35.00	J. E. Wiley	60.00
M. S. Briggs	44.00	Mrs. O. Pasho	79.61
J. L. Craig	20.00	J. Lyons	35.00
M. Cody	11.20		
			$3,998.54

Police

Appropriation	$3,000.00
Expended	2,996.34
Unexpended	$3.66

Detail of Expenditure

S. H. Green	$832.00
J. C. C. Small	848.00
J. J. Scally	848.00
G. A. Cannell	10.75
F. L. Longley	31.00
A. R. Ramsdell	18.50
U. S. G. Clark	51.04
H. H. Sprague	76.25
J. E. Wiley	2.00
A. L. Keyes	2.00
J. F. Cogan	2.00
C. A. Stone	2.00
G. J. O'Brien	3.00
L. P. Benton	2.00
E. J. Rogeau	2.00
George Drew	3.75
H. A. Severance	3.00
L. P. Cochran	2.00

F. A. Wood	$2.00	
A. L. Holden	3.00	
W. H. George	3.00	
A. P. Briggs	2.50	
George Jefts	2.00	
W. H. Longmore	34.25	
Charles Brown	1.50	
S. H. Green, Fees	32.90	
J. C. C. Small, "	1.43	
J. J. Scally, "	7.80	
G. A. Cannell, "	1.89	
Winchester Tar Dis. Co.	1.80	
C. M. Boyce & Son, Teams	14.50	
Bell Hdw. Co., Supplies	9.90	
J. L. Fairbanks & Co., "	3.00	
R. Masteangielo, "	8.05	
Wm. Reid & Son, "	36.25	
Copeland & Bowser, "	3.50	
W. I. Thompson, "	.60	
C. Baldwin, "	11.27	
W. O. Harding & Co., "	1.10	
Blanchard, Kendall & Co., "	.65	
J. S. Lewis, Printing	11.40	
F. L. & W. E. Whittier, Printing	1.65	
Newton Graphic Pub. Co., "	1.50	
S. H. Green, Feeding Prisoners and Use of Team	57.61	
H. E. Bellows, Cleaning Clock	2.00	
		$2,896.34

Highways

Appropriation	$6,000.00

Received from B. & N. St. Ry. Co.....	$109.51
" " Sale of Water	9.25
	$6,118.76
Expended	6,112.12
Unexpended	$6.64

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

G. H. Spates	Labor.....	$492.00
C. H. Taylor,	"	740.04
M. McKenna,	"	189.04
E. R. Frost,	"	166.11
G. C. Curry,	"	253.05
F. Riley,	"	106.90
J. A. Kelley,	"	1.58
S. G. Hanson,	"	1.13
M. Flynn,	"	1.58
J. Connell,	"	190.17
W. Frost,	"	61.88
E. H. Miller,	"	7.50
J. Higgins,	"	191.54
C. Murphy,	"	195.23
P. Doherty,	"	142.69
J. Fallon,	"	3.38
W. B. Parker,	"	151.52
W. Munn,	"	46.13
J. H. Holden,	"	47.82
J. Butler,	"	57.38
F. A. Lincoln,	"	5.63
N. Bourgeau,	"	50.07
N. Neilson,	"	11.82
T. Cullen,	"	202.91
W. McGah,	"	44.56

J. W. Carr,	Labor.....	$350.83
S. Berry,	"	1.58
J. J. Walsh,	"	191.48
J. Conway,	"	33.80
M. J. Dempsey,	"	29.26
Horace Green,	"	77.64
S. D. Weston,	"	204.83
J. Gerimont,	"	86.87
W. Keating,	"	108.16
E. Stevens,	"	5.17
J. W. Martin,	"	53.44
J. Sullivan,	"	59.88
C. Brown,	"	53.46
C. H. Anderson,	"	77.88
J. Keating, Jr.,	"	10.63
C. Nichols,	"	406.00
J. Murphy,	"	31.74
F. G. Wiley,	"	63.01
S. Lannon,	"	18.20
C. M. Boyce & Son.....		11.00
R. Ervin,	Stock and Labor	28.68
C. Baldwin,	" "	10.20
A. J. Kempton,	" "	1.50
T. R. McNelly,	" "	.20
R. D. Wall,	" "	21.65
C. W. Houghton,	" "	2.20
T. Patchett,	" "	3.15
Crouch Motor Co.,	" "	1.50
W. J. Hole,	" "	35.80
H. E. Hersam,	" "	1.50
B. Perry & Son,	" "	86.18
Good Roads Mach. Co.,	Supplies	118.50
C. A. Claflin & Co.,	"	52.89
Buffalo Steam Roller Co.,	"	44.50

Vestal Oil Co.,	Supplies	$24.76	
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	13.87	
N. T. Wiley Co.,	"	3.00	
Blanchard, Kendall & Co.,	"	44.51	
Ames Plow Co.,	"	10.50	
C. H. Walker & Co.,	"	112.76	
McKenna Bros.,	"	3.72	
James Robertson,	"	9.80	
J. W. Potter,	"	2.50	
Colonial Supply Co.,	"	14.25	
S. P. Finnegan,	"	.42	
J. T. Freeman & Co.,	"	1.20	
P. Kernan,	"	.42	
W. W. Fisk & Co.,	"	8.86	
Sewer Dept.,	"	40.17	
Dyer Supply Co.,	"	3.75	
B. & M. R. R., Freight		2.39	
Estate D. Fisher, Sand		8.00	
J. A. Jones, Insurance, etc		247.40	
Maryland Casualty Co., Insurance		312.91	
Young & Best		4.20	
			$6,112.12

Concrete

Appropriation	$675.00
Expended	600.00
Unexpended	$75.00

Detail of Expenditure

T. A. Mulroney, Stock and Labor	$590.00	
W. Paige, Measuring	10.00	
		$600.00

Street Railing

Appropriation	$300.00
Expended	298.13
Unexpended	$1.87

Detail of Expenditure

Heath, Mulligan & Co., Supplies	$21.62	
S. G. Sweetser, Stock and Labor	266.39	
E. R. Frost, Labor	10.12	
		$298.13

Breaking Snow

Appropriation	$2,350.00
Expended	2,008.63
Unexpended	$341.37

Detail of Expenditure

G. H. Spates, Labor	$487.00
C. M. Boyce & Son, "	25.00
C. H. Taylor, "	242.61
Jos. Butler, "	140.97
G. C. Curry, "	87.30
E. H. Andrews, "	52.60
J. W. Holden, "	90.16
W. Munn, "	56.55
J. F. Vanbuskirk, "	41.80
J. W. Carr, "	44.38
F. G. Wiley, "	72.10
J. Connell, "	91.60
W. B. Parker, "	45.89

C. Kinnear,	Labor.....	$14.08
W. Upham,	"	8.78
M. A. Meekin,	"	2.93
S. G. Hanson,	"	46.66
S. Quimby,	"	15.20
J. Higgins,	"	59.44
P. Doherty,	"	2.48
C. Freeman,	"	13.29
W. Frost,	"	21.61
A. E. Holden,	"	1.58
G. Lecarpentier,	"	11.15
F. C. Pierce,	"	11.94
H. Dyer,	"	2.48
C. Cochran,	"	15.43
J. J. Fuller,	"	1.80
F. Upham,	"	1.47
F. Riley,	"	50.76
M. McKenna,	"	17.70
P. Frost,	"	4.96
P. J. McHale,	"	12.05
J. Doherty,	"	10.80
A. L. Keyes,	"	11.94
C. Kenny,	"	3.95
P. McMahon,	"	9.46
O. E. Tufts,	"	3.83
R. Williamson,	"	6.40
C. Murphy,	"	21.15
F. Corey,	"	21.84
A. E. Bradley,	"	4.73
J. Richards,	"	5.06
A. Marr,	"	7.88
M. Cannon,	"	4.05
M. Flynn,	"	5.63
W. Keating,	"	15.87

C. Hadley,	Labor.....	$4.73
H. P. Josslyn,	"	12.97
T. McHale,	"	6.64
E. R. Frost,	"	2.92
J. Gerimont,	"	1.80
W. Jackson,	"	1.35
J. Canning,	"	1.13
Heath & Milligan Mfg Co., Supplies		5.20
T. R. McNelly, Stock and Labor...		2.95
Estate D. Fisher, Sand.....		3.50
T. A. Mulroney, Sand.....		28.75
C. Buck & Son, Salt		1.75
B. & M. R. R., Freight		.35
R. Ervin, Stock and Labor.....		8.25
		$2,008.63

Town Officers

Appropriation.....	$5,400.00
Expended	5,400.00

Detail of Expenditure

W. S. Keene, Moderator.....	$25.00
G. N. Green, Town Clerk.....	700.00
" Clerk of Board of Public Works	300.00
F. E. Nickerson, Treasurer.....	500.00
" Water Registrar.	200.00
H. E. Hersam, Selectman.....	100.00
J. W. Holden, "	100.00
A. N. Newhall, "	100.00
G. W. Newhall, Assessor.....	300.00
John Best, "	300.00
W. A. Bartlett, "	300.00

W. A. Bartlett, Sealer of Weights	$100.00	
" Overseer of Poor..	133.33	
W. C. Bancroft, " ..	133.33	
J. G. Beede, " ..	133.34	
J. A. Jones, Board Public Works..	100.00	
W. Massey, " ..	100.00	
H. A. Smith, " ..	100.00	
J. T. Barker, Plumbing Inspector..	300.00	
F. H. Chase, Auditor.....	150.00	
T. S. Ireland, "	150.00	
H. H. Dane, Janitor.....	150.00	
A. W. Rice, Collector 1901.....	150.00	
S. A. Lawrence, " 1904.....	200.00	
" " 1905.....	300.00	
G. A. Hinchcliffe, Board of Health	50.00	
J. C. C. Small, "	50.00	
M. D. Sheehan, M. D., "	50.00	
J. B. Sanborn, Registrar.....	25.00	
G. N. Green, "	50.00	
W. F. Cowdrey, "	25.00	
F. E. Kerns, "	25.00	
		$5,400.00

Miscellaneous

Appropriation.....	$3,607.02
Received Costs Haley vs. Town.....	74.60
" Postage	2.15
	$3,683.77
Expended	3,680.95
Unexpended	$2.82

Detail of Expenditure

B. & M. R. R. Co., Rent.....	1.00
Addie M. Abbott, Damage.....	100.00
C. A. Carby, "	50.00
D. Geary, "	27.50
C. C. Smith, "	1.00
O. Gilmore, "	15.00
B. P. Keene, "	425.00
W. S. Lewis, "	46.55
L. Reade, Returning Deaths	.75
F. H. Reynolds, " "	4.50
H. M. Spencer, Damage.....	300.00
H. Shaw, Services.....	5.00
J. A. Stockwell, "	428.00
E. S. Jack, "	5.00
G. H. Allen, Inspector of Animals	198.00
E. A. Roberts, Labor.....	1.00
W. H. George, "	8.50
S. H. Green, Lockup Keeper.....	20.00
G. A. Hinchcliffe, Labor.....	5.00
H. S. Drew, "	5.00
G. N. Green, Expen's. and Supplies	23.37
T. E. Rolfe, Caterer.....	65.90
C. W. Houghton, Stock and Labor	5.62
R. Murphy, Labor.....	8.10
F. Riley, "	7.43
Phil Doherty, "	.90
J. F. Moynahan, "	25.38
T. R. McNelly, "	2.40
W. J. Hole, Stock and Labor.....	3.25
L. L. Gove, " "	17.62
W. B. Jones, Surveying.....	101.75
I. A. Doane, Labor.....	12.60

Boston Stencil Co., Supplies	$3.45
H. D. Wallace, Witness Fees.....	6.00
C. A. Carby, "	2.50
J. W. Potter, "	2.00
W. Paige, Measuring.....	2.00
L. P. Benton, Witness Fees.....	7.50
J. A. Yancey, Labor.....	58.75
W. H. Jones, Team.....	1.00
J C. C. Small, Labor and Expense	19.43
G. H. Ellis Co., Supplies.....	17.50
Assessors, Supplies.....	6.55
A. J. Smith, Stock and Labor....	10.92
H. M. Meek, Supplies.....	5.00
Peoples Gas & Electric Co.... ...	23.09
N. E. T. & T. Co., Tolls.....	118.24
W. F. Gordon, Lamps.....	4.80
Edison Electric Ill. Co., Lighting..	61.04
G. E. Dunbar, Printing..	32.00
J. S. Lewis, " ..	60.25
F. L. & W. E. Whittier, " ..	379.02
A. T. Bliss & Co., " ..	12.00
Wakefield Daily Item, " ..	2.25
E. P. Saltonstall, Services.....	345.84
T. Groom & Co., Supplies....	8.87
Copeland & Bowser, "	.35
Hobbs & Warren Co., "	63.87
C. M. Boyce & Son, Team.....	25.00
H. L. Emerson, Supplies..	4.75
F. L. Corey, " ..	12.50
W. H. Sprague, P. M., " ..	63.60
Carter's Ink Co., " ..	2.20
Melvin & Badger, " ..	2.25
Library Bureau, " ..	4.40
Adams, Cushing & Foster, " ..	7.25

A. W. Rice,	Supplies .	$6.75
W. F. Gordon,	" ..	3.60
F. W. Barry, Beale & Co.,	" ..	2.75
S. N. Ford,	" ..	44.18
Mechanical Acct. Co.,	" ..	125.00
Shephard Mfg. Co.,	Team.....	10.00
Jas. Blenkhorn, M.D.,	Services...	4.00
G. A. Hinchcliffe,	Supplies....	13.60
F. E. Nickerson,	"	45.04
Armstrong Cork Co.,	"	.50
Hardy Photograph Co.	"	3.00
W. A. Bartlett,	"	17.04
Dustin & Duncklee,	"	2.00
R. R. Patch, Services	"	15.00
W. L. Crane,	Teller, March....	3.90
W. Garside,	" "	3,90
J. W. Kelly,	" "	3.90
O. C. Young,	" "	1.50
C. E. Chesley,	" "	1.50
R. E. Tarbett,	" " ...	1.50
H. L. Kenson,	" "	1.50
J. P. Kelly,	" "	1.50
M. F. McDonough,	" "	1.50
J. F. Brassard,	" "	1.50
H. W. Whiteman,	" "	1.50
C. Bournivale,	" "	1.50
W. Paige,	Teller Mar. & Nov.	5.10
F. B. Jenkins,	" " "	5.10
C. S. Lynde,	" " "	5.10
A. T. Peacock,	" " "	7.50
C. P. Brawley,	" " "	7.50
T. F. Emery,	" " "	5.10
M. B. Peffers,	" " "	2.70
B. W. Halpin,	" " "	2.70

J. A. Alden,	Teller November	$3.60	
W. H. Ahern,	" "	3.60	
C. F. Blodgett,	" "	3.60	
W. A. Bartlett,	" "	3.60	
A. S. Woodward,	" "	3.60	
A. J. Alden,	" "	1.20	
H. G. Daley,	" "	1.20	
J. E. Fulton,	" "	1.20	
T. F. Halpin,	" "	1.20	
J. P. Kelly,	" "	1.20	
C. A. Stone,	" "	1.20	
			$3,680.95

Fire Department

Appropriation	$5,200.00
Expended	5,105.10
Unexpended	$94.90

Detail of Expenditure

People's Gas and Elec. Co.,	Gas	$5.30
Woburn L. H. and P. Co.,	Lighting	44.31
Edison Elec. Ill. Co.,	Lighting	44.40
E. B. White,	Expressing	1.00
Hayward & Litch,	Expressing	17.64
" "	Hauling Engine.	200.00
" " "	Carriage	100.00
C. M. Boyce,	Teams	121.50
J. Butler,	Hauling H. & L. Truck	200.00
C. H. Severance,	Hauling Hose	48.50
A. F. Keenan,	Supplies	73.10
American Dyewood Co.,	"	76.50

W. O Harding & Co.,	Supplies	$4.20
C. Callahan Co.,	"	146.81
C. A. Jenkins & Co.,	"	5.10
L. M. Crane & Co.,	"	3.00
R. W. LeBaron,	"	78.75
W. P. Fletcher Box Co.,	"	2.70
Taylor, Furness Coal Co.,	"	108.04
Merrimac Chemical Co.,	"	5.07
W. E. Clark,	"	3.39
F. H. LeBaron,	"	3.50
Beattie Zinc Works,	"	53.00
Pettingill, Andrews Co.,	"	23.27
Solshine Mfg. Co.,	"	1.25
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	5.17
S. P. Finnegan,	"	.48
R. Ervin,	Stock and Labor	3.00
C. F. Simonds,	"	4.25
C. Baldwin,	"	12.85
Stretton & Hutchinson,	"	6.00
R. D. Wall,	"	50.65
P. A. Stevens,	"	43.00
T. A. Mulroney,	"	4.00
M. B. Baldwin,	"	5.50
Crouch Motor Co.,	"	.90
C. W. Houghton,	"	3.90
J. Fedigan, Cleaning Harness.....		10.75
R. Williamson, Labor.....		1.00
M. O'Loughlin, "		2.00
E. Caldwell, Chairs.....		48.90
H. A. Glazier, Hitch.....		21.00
G. E. Sturtevant, Engineer.....		115.00
" Fire Warden...		10.00
" Labor on Alarm		95.00
L. F. Bruce, Engineer.....		75.00

L. F. Bruce, Fire Warden	$10.00	
" Labor on Alarm	71.00	
" Expenses	1.35	
A. J. Smith, Engineer	75.00	
" Fire Warden	10.00	
" Labor on Alarm	64.00	
S. Crouch, Engineer	105.00	
H. & L. Co. Pay Roll	882.51	
Hose 1 "	776.25	
" 2 "	617.84	
" 3 "	561.25	
L. Hoyt, Stock and Labor	9.57	
American Ex. Co., Express	2.00	
A. J. Smith, Stock and Labor	30.65	
		$5,105.10

Hose Wagon Chemical Apparatus

Appropriation	$450.00
Expended	450.00

Detail of Expenditure

Badger Fire Ext. Co.	$450.00	
		$450.00

Fire Alarm Box

Appropriation	$150.00
Expended	150.00

Detail of Expenditure

R. W. LeBaron	$75.00	
W. E. Decro	75.00	
		$150.00

Public Library

Appropriation	$1,849.15
Received from Dog Tax and Fees	513.80
" " Fines and Catalogues	106.00
	$2,468.95
Expended	2,303.57
Unexpended	$165.38

Detail of Expenditure

M. H. Boyce, Librarian	$350.00
S. A. Lynde, Associate Librarian	300.00
E. P. Dodge, Janitor	229.16
M. H. Boyce, Supplies	39.13
Bell Hdw. Co., "	5.90
Mutual Subscription Agency, Books	138.05
Daniel Gunn & Co., "	16.50
Jordan, Marsh & Co., "	9.02
A. W. Rice, "	17.62
DeWolfe Fiske & Co., "	313.91
Smith & McConce, "	5.00
R. H. White Co., "	9.80
Doubleday, Page & Co., "	4.00
Schoenhof Book Co., "	10.30
B. T. Buck & Co., "	4.35
Woburn Lt. Ht. and Power Co., Lighting	153.67
Edison Electric Ill. Co., Lighting	97.23
J. S. Lewis, Printing	15.00
F. L. &. W. E. Whittier, "	30.58
C. Baldwin, Stock and Labor	37.95

Taylor Furness Coal Co., Fuel....	$204.50	
W. B. Clark Co., Supplies.....	84.14	
F. J. Barnard & Co., Binding Books	97.15	
J. M. Sullivan, "	62.40	
Boston Book Binding Co., "	3.45	
G. E. Dunbar, Printing.....	19.50	
Orpre Bros., Desk.....	24.50	
W. N. Gray, Stock and Labor	6.80	
C. W. Houghton, "	13.93	
		$2,303.57

Decoration Day

Appropriation.....	$350.00
Expended	324.69
Unexpended	$25.31

Detail of Expenditure

D. S. Jones, Painting.....	$3.45
H. N. Wilson, Wreaths....	36.25
W. S. Carr & Co., Flags.....	15.84
J. H. Wolff, Oration.....	25.00
L. E. Warren Camp, L. S W. V., Supplies	3.25
Rev. W. J. Millerick, Rpg. Graves	10.50
F. L. & W. E. Whittier, Printing..	7.75
C. M. Boyce & Son, Teams.....	38.00
A. S. Parker, Flowers.....	58.00
Woburn Brass Band, Music.....	72.60
Lindenwood Cemetery, Labor.....	25.00
G. Richardson, Supplies.....	1.85
J. Butler, Team.....	4.00

F. W. Freeman, Supplies.....	$3.95	
E. N. Griffin, Music.....	5.00	
M. D. Jones & Co., Markers.....	7.05	
E. B. White, Express.....	2.00	
C. Thompson, Services.....	5.20	
		$324.69

Care of Lots in Lindenwood Cemetery

C. W. Messer, Labor 1903.	$155.50	
" " 1904.....	188.00	
" " 1905.....	219.00	
		$562.50

Paid from interest of trust fund in hands of Town Treasurer.

Armory and Range

Received from Rent.....	$762.50
" " Junk Sold.....	2.80
" " Damage S. H. S. Basket Ball...	7.00
	$772.30
Expended.....	1,105.59
Overdrawn.....	$333.29

Detail of Expenditure

Woburn Lt. Ht. & P. Co., Lighting	$106.70
Edison Electric Ill. Co., "	82.94
Peoples Gas & Electric Co., "	79.69

L. E. Sweetser,	Janitor	$300.00	
"	Supplies	7.00	
W. E. Clark,	"	1.12	
McKenna Bros.,.	"	16.67	
Taylor Furness Coal Co.,	Fuel	87.36	
C. H. Walker & Co.,	"	110.92	
Bell Hdw. Co.		30.93	
E. Caldwell,	Stock and Labor	41.50	
Robt. Mumford Boiler Co.,	"	45.38	
J. J. Claffy,	"	8.00	
J. B. Swan,	"	15.31	
C. W. Houghton,	"	29.26	
Stretton & Hutchinson,	"	2.90	
A. J. Smith,	"	33.74	
C. Baldwin,	"	18.63	
S. G. Sweetser,	"	15.66	
Hayward & Litch Exp. Co.		24.53	
W. F. Wheeler		20.80	
T. F. Burtt,	Supplies	1.25	
E. Outram,	Rent of Range	25.00	
			$1,105.59

North and George Streets Sidewalk

Appropriation	$500.00
Expended	499.92
Unexpended	.08

Detail of Expenditure

C. H. Taylor,	Labor	$127.73
J. Higgins,	"	4.50
E. R. Frost,	"	35.78

J. Gerimont,	Labor.....	$27.47	
J. Keating, Jr.,	"	8.44	
W. Keating,	"	35.10	
T. Cullen,	"	23.85	
J. Sullivan,	"	26.78	
G. C. Curry,	"	42.20	
F. G. Wiley,	"	71.45	
G. H. Spates,	"	23.00	
S. G. Sweetser,	"	68.62	
Young & Best,	Gravel	5.00	
			$499.92

West Hancock Street

Appropriation.....	$400.00
Expended	398.43
Unexpended	$1.57

Detail of Expenditure

C. H. Taylor,	Labor.....	$57.94	
J. Sullivan,	"	15.08	
G. C. Curry,	"	1.69	
W. B. Jones,	"	15.00	
J. Higgins,	"	43.20	
S. D. Weston,	"	16.20	
J. O'Donnell,	"	14.18	
E. R. Frost,	"	2.93	
W. Munn,	"	10.14	
J. Murphy,	"	3.60	
T. Cullen,	"	42.53	
W. Keating,	"	43.21	
J. Gerimont,	"	2.92	

G. H. Spates,	Labor.....	$50.00	
C. H. Anderson,	"	16.20	
M. McKenna,	"	13.12	
J. Connell,	"	20.03	
S. Lannon,	"	2.60	
C. Murphy,	"	3.60	
J. Higgins,	"	8.16	
Laflin & Rand Pow. Co.,	Supplies..	15.10	
B. & M. R. R.,	Freight	1.00	
			$398.43

Care of Shade Trees

Appropriation.....	$250.00
Expended.....	250.00

Detail of Expenditure

W. H. George, Labor.....	$250.00

Brown Tail and Gypsy Moths

Appropriation.....	$3,500.00
Received from State.....	2,213.15
	$5,713.15
Expended	5,364.98
Unexpended	$348.17

Detail of Expenditure

U. S. G. Sanborn,	Labor.....	$1,569.75
W. H. George,	"	425.15

Burdett & Williams Co.,	Supplies..	$51.62
W. C. Whitcher,	" ..	3.50
Bell Hardware Co.,	" ..	4.75
G. M. Jefts,	Labor.....	336.00
J. H. Quinn,	"	202.59
E. W. Walker,	"	12.22
L. E. Doucett,	"	115.11
L. DeWolfe,	"	203.73
H. H. Delano,	"	79.11
F. E. Parks,	"	188.22
A. S. Woodward,	"	177.72
W. C. Thayer,	"	117.80
E. L. Patch,	"	155.11
I. F. Kelly,	"	6.00
H. E. Brown,	"	179.10
J. J. Cody,	"	14.00
M. S. Green,	"	28.45
R. O. Frederick,	"	15.11
E. T. Manley,	"	94.50
L. B. Tarbett,	"	86.00
P. Pearlstein,	"	3.50
M. Bohn,	"	8.00
P. H. Dolan,	"	14.22
G. F. Ronco,	"	93.89
J. R. McHale,	"	10.00
E. S. Frazier,	"	86.50
P. Ploudre,	"	84.00
G. Anderson,	"	1.11
J. H. Pitts,	"	54.00
G. O. Mooers,	"	18.22
T. Noonan,	"	2.89
A. A. Hayward,	"	42.00
H. Theobald,	"	2.00
H. Cuff,	"	2.00

E. D. Cuff,	Labor.....	$10.00	
C. E. Moulonson,	"	20.00	
F. Fletcher,	"	22.50	
J. McLaughlin,	"	32.00	
L. Surette,	"	40.00	
M. Hanscom,	"	18.00	
J. Fedigan,	"	22.00	
C. Staples,	"	1.11	
R. Rugeri,	"	19.00	
E. R. Frost,	"	46.00	
W. S. Lewis,	"	40.00	
C. Corcoran,	"	12.00	
M. Surette,	"	20.00	
N. Neilson,	"	15.75	
C. Anderson,	"	28.00	
P. McKenna,	"	6.00	
T. Hoey,	"	99.15	
R. Roberts,	"	13.78	
Hayward & Litch Exp. Co.,	Express	2.75	
Bowker Insecticide Co.,	Supplies..	108.85	
H. E. Hersam,	" ..	57.25	
A. J. Wilkinson,	" ..	12.11	
W. H. Sprague, P. M.,	" ..	28.62	
C. W. H. Moulton,	" ..	93.75	
J. Breck & Sons,	" ..	14.83	
McKenna Bros.,	" ..	.20	
Copeland & Bowser,	" ..	5.96	
J. A. Jones, Insurance.....		75.00	
E. R. Lombard, Cart.....		2.50	
K. Walton, Damage.....		10.00	
			$5,364.98

Moths on Private Property

Appropriation	$500.00
Expended	128.39
Unexpended	$371.61

Lindenwood Cemetery

Appropriation	$223.96
Received for Care of Lots	1,364.20
" " " " " Trust Fund	562.50
" " " " " and Graves	516.00
" " " " Wood and Grass	59.00
	$2,754.66
Expended	2,352.99
Unexpended	$401.67

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

U. S. G. Clark,	Labor	$417.70
D. Sweet,	"	342.13
C. Kinnear,	"	351.31
A. L. Keyes,	"	301.69
C. Sweet,	"	294 26
A. Woodward,	"	164.45
C. W. Messer,	"	244.18
J. Fedigan,	"	31.05
T. Sullivan,	"	29.25
H. E. Hersam,	Stock and Labor	6.90
R. Ervin,	"	23.58
C. W. Houghton,	"	7.52

C. Baldwin,	Stock and Labor	.80	
Smith & Wallace,	"	9.75	
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	48.34	
W. C. Whitcher,	"	24.00	
Blanchard, Kendall Co.,	"	9.90	
W. Dike, Flowers		34.50	
Water Dept., Dynamite		1.68	
			$2,352.99

Old Burying Ground

Appropriation	$35.00
Expended	32.22
Unexpended	$2.78

Detail of Expenditure

T. McNamara,	Labor	$20.17	
G. Cody,	"	8.10	
C. C. Dike,	"	2.00	
"	Supplies	1.95	
			$32.22

Franklin Street

Appropriation	$7,500.00
Received from County	3,000.00
" " B. & N. St. Ry.	136.59
" " W. H. Gross & Co.	35.00
	$10,671.59
Expended	7,598.60
Unexpended	$3,072.90

Detail of Expenditure

T. J. Quigley & Son,	Stone	$3,503.33
Estate D. Fisher,	Sand	13.50
Taylor-Furness Co.,	Fuel	6.17
C. H. Walker & Co.,	"	168.91
Puritan Iron Works,	Supplies	30.00
Blanchard, Kendall & Co.,	"	2.70
C. Walcott & Co.,	"	60.00
A. W. Rice,	"	.68
S. G. Sweetser,	Stock and Labor	272.01
L. L. Gove,	"	1.28
R. Ervin,	"	2.70
C. W. Houghton,	"	6.83
W. H. Gross & Co.,	"	53.74
B. & M. R. R.,	Moving Wall	35.60
W. Paige,	Measuring	4.50
B. Perry & Son,	Stone	46.50
J. A. Jones,	"	6.96
T. A. Mulroney,	Concrete	635.28
J. McCarty,	Labor	13.00
M. Flanagan,	Rent	25.00
J. T. Fox,	Oil	3.67
P. Kernan,	"	2.60
Snow & Barbour,	Surveying	35.00
Sewer Dept.,	Pipe, Etc.,	86.70
J. J. McHale,	Labor	2.82
J. Connell,	"	172.64
J. Higgins,	"	183.18
W. Frost,	"	20.72
J. W. Holden,	"	24.21
J. Butler,	"	15.20
F. A. Lincoln,	"	4.50
J. J. Walsh,	"	119.48

E. R. Frost,	Labor.....	$97.56	
T. Cullen,	"	78.08	
S. D. Weston,	"	59.63	
C. H. Anderson,	"	68.64	
J. W. Martin,	"	124.12	
C. Brown,	"	119.83	
M. McKenna,	"	42.01	
C. Nichols,	"	37.21	
J. Murphy,	"	64.81	
G. H. Spates,	"	286.00	
C. H. Taylor,	"	396.68	
C. Murphy,	"	152.01	
W. Munn,	"	34.32	
G. C. Curry,	"	47.27	
J. Fallon,	"	1.13	
E. M. Burrell,	"	5.85	
W. B. Parker,	"	2.63	
W. Valler,	"	66.17	
J. W. Carr,	"	205.35	
J. Gerimont,	"	101.62	
J. Keating, Jr.,	"	55.96	
J. Sullivan,	"	57.39	
E. Stevens,	"	20.04	
J. Tansey,	"	4.07	
W. Keating,	"	17.55	
J. Lannon,	"	17.23	
J. O'Donnell,	"	2.70	
			$7,598.68

Interest

Appropriation.....	$6,399.18
Expended.....	6,746.13
Overdrawn.....	$346.95

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Loring, Tolman & Tupper.	$988.63	
N'tl Bank of the Republic.....	5,607.50	
Stoneham 5c Savings Bank.....	150.00	
		$6,746.13

Notes

Given in Anticipation of 1904 Taxes.....	$10,000.00
" " " " 1905 "	65,000.00
	$75,000.00
Paid N'tl Bank of the Republic.....	55,000.00
Outstanding in Anticipation of 1905 Taxes.....	$20,000.00

Town Debt

Appropriation.....	$13,500.00
Paid N'tl Bank of the Republic.....	13,560.00

State and County Tax

County Tax.....	$5,222,23
State Tax	6,360.00
National Bank Tax.....	227.40
Met. Park Loan, Sinking Fund.....	381.22
" " " " " Interest.....	916.15
" " " Maintenance.....	644.84
" " " Series No. 2 Sinking Fund...	98.97
" " " " " Interest.....	232.16

Met. Park Maintenance	$155.02
" " Nantasket Reservation	61.22
" Sewer Loan, Sinking Fund	672 43
" " " " " Interest	2,536.32
" " Maintenance	1,896.30
Repairs on State Highway	57.10
	$19,461.36

Watering Streets

Expended $567.11

Detail of Expenditure

J. W. Carr,	Labor	$6.18	
J. Connell,	"	1.58	
J. W. Holden,	"	542.38	
C. H. Taylor,	"	11.85	
R. Ervin,	Stock and Labor	.50	
R. D. Wall,	"	4.65	
			$567.11

Sewer Maintenance

Appropriation	$1,500.00
Credited Sewer Dept	1,500.00

New Hydrants

Appropriation	$150.00
Expended	150.00

Mary's Lane

Detail of Expenditure

P. J. Regan,	Labor	$9.82	
M. McPartland,	"	6.08	
E. Devlin,	"	10.13	
P. McPartland,	"	10.13	
J. O'Donnell,	"	9.23	
W. Magner,	"	9.23	
G. Cody,	"	9.23	
E. Yancey,	"	9.23	
M. Hanscom,	"	9.23	
F. A. Lincoln,	"	9.23	
C. Freeman,	"	9.23	
D. P. Conway,	"	9.25	
J. Meyers,	"	6.08	
J. Keating,	"	10.13	
C. Ney,	"	9.23	
T. Hoey,	"	9.91	
F. Riley,	"	9.23	
P. Doherty,	"	9.23	
L. Surrette,	"	9.23	
J. Fallon,	"	2.03	
R. Roberts,	"	5.18	
H. W. Donovan,	"	10.13	
			$190.40

Pond Street

Detail of Expenditure

P. J. Regan,	Labor.....	$4.87	
M. McPartland,	"	6.07	
E. Devlin,	"	6.07	

P. McPartland,	Labor.....	$6.07
T. Hoey,	"	6.07
F. Riley,	"	6.07
P. Doherty,	"	6.07
L. Surrette,	"	6.07
F. A. Lincoln,	"	6.07
C. Freeman,	"	4.05
D. P. Conway,	"	5.00
J. Meyers,	"	6.07
J. Keating,	"	6.07
C. Ney,	"	6.07
W. Magner,	"	6.07
G. Cody,	"	4.05
E. Yancey,	"	6.07
M. Hanscom,	"	6.07
R. Roberts,	"	6.07
H. W. Donovan,	"	4.05
W. Carey,	"	4.05
		$117.12

Forest Street

Detail of Expenditure

P. J. Regan,	Labor.....	$14.67
J. Keating,	"	12.15
E. Devlin,	"	12.37
S. Hines,	"	15.29
G. Thompson,	"	8.78
E. Yancey,	"	11.70
J. Sullivan,	"	12.83
W. Keating,	"	14.86
M. Cody,	"	3.60
H. W. Donovan,	"	3.60
M. Hanscom,	"	6.76

E. P. Conway,	Labor.	$13.05	
M. McPartland,	"	13.27	
J. Meyers,	"	16.20	
L. Surette,	"	16.19	
G. Cody,	"	7.20	
E. Manley,	"	10.80	
M. Sullivan,	"	6.76	
J. Fallon,	"	15.29	
F. A. Lincoln,	"	4.73	
T. R. McNelly,	"	4.90	
			$225.00

Summer Street

Detail of Expenditure

P. J. Regan,	Labor.....	$6.00	
M. McPartland,	"	6.85	
J. Meyers,	"	2.60	
P. McMahon,	"	6.08	
G. Cody,	"	5.17	
F. A. Lincoln,	"	6.07	
C. Ney,	"	7.20	
J. Fallon,	"	7.21	
T. Hoey,	"	7.20	
J. Fedigan,	"	7.20	
D. P. Cogan,	"	7.75	
E. Devlin,	"	6.07	
M. O'Loughlin,	"	6.08	
P. McGovern,	"	6.08	
M. Hanscom,	"	7.20	
W. Magner,	"	7.20	
J. Keating,	"	7.21	
J. O'Donnell,	"	7.21	

R. Roberts,	Labor.....	$5.17	
C. Freeman,	"	5.17	
W. Murphy,	"	3.00	
			$129.72

Oriental Court

Detail of Expenditure.

P. J. Regan,	Labor.....	$1.13	
E. Devlin,	"	2.03	
J. Fallon,	"	2.03	
E. Yancey,	"	2.03	
D. Conway,	"	.50	
S. Hines,	"	2.03	
L. Surette,	"	2.03	
H. W. Donovan,	"	2.03	
			$13.81

Collincote Street

Detail of Expenditure

P. J. Regan,	Labor.....	$50.24	
J. Keating,	"	39.61	
E. Yancey,	"	46.80	
M. Hanscom,	"	41.86	
M. McPartland,	"	37.59	
J. Myers,	"	32.18	
M. Donahue,	"	37.58	
W. Magner,	"	35.56	
H. Thompson,	"	15.19	
M. Cody,	"	31.96	
F. A. Lincoln,	"	28.81	

J. Murphy,	Labor.....	$29.26	
M. O'Loughlin,	"	14.17	
P. McGovern,	"	15.08	
T. Hoey,	"	16.88	
W. Keating,	"	1.13	
D. P. Conway,	"	49.55	
L. Surette,	"	39.84	
J. Sullivan,	"	41.42	
H. Donovan,	"	14.42	
J. Brady,	"	28.60	
E. Devlin,	"	29.95	
G. Cody,	"	31.51	
J. Cullen, Jr.,	"	22.28	
J. Fallon,	"	22.74	
C. Ney,	"	31.73	
M. Sullivan,	"	24.99	
P. Higgins,	"	23.63	
P. McMahan,	"	15.08	
J. O'Donnell,	"	15.98	
R. Roberts,	"	15.98	
J. Dempsey,	"	8.10	
O. Hoey,	"	1.50	
			$891.21

Spring Street Sewer

Detail of Expenditure

P. J. Regan,	Labor.....	$93.25	
M. O'Loughlin,	"	8.11	
P. McGovern,	"	7.21	
E. Devlin,	"	75.93	
E. Yancey,	"	93.19	
J. Sullivan,	"	11.25	

M. Hanscom,	Labor.....	$77.86
M. Donohue,	"	9.23
J. Fallon,	"	3.82
C. Ney,	"	60.88
J. Murphy,	"	3.16
J. O'Donnell,	"	34.23
R. Roberts,	"	31.75
H. Donovan,	"	42.08
P. Doherty,	"	73.16
D. McCauley,	"	15.31
J. Keating,	"	15.53
J. Fedigan,	"	38.72
C. Freeman,	"	13.39
J. Cody,	"	6.75
D. P. Conway,	"	66.45
P. McMahan,	"	7.21
M. McPartland,	"	56.83
L. Surette,	"	85.53
J. Myers,	"	62.01
W. Magner,	"	60.66
W. Keating,	"	49.05
T. Cullen, Jr.	"	7.43
M. Cody,	"	7.43
F. A. Lincoln,	"	42.22
P. Higgins,	"	7.43
T. Hoey,	"	33.66
J. Dempsey,	"	7.21
M. Sullivan,	"	2.48
J. Keating,	"	69.10
W. Casey,	"	32.86
W. Murphy,	"	46.00
G. Cody,	"	28.47
T. Riley,	"	8.11
McKenna Bros.,	Supplies.....	.60

T. R. McNelly, Stock and Labor..	$33.05	
C. H. Walker, & Co., Supplies....	8.40	
B. & M. R. R., Freight.....	1.70	
W. B. Jones, Surveying.....	70.00	
		$1,509.70

Warren Street Sewer

Detail of Expenditure

P. J. Regan,	Labor	$10.95	
M. McPartland,	"	10.13	
L. Surette,	"	2.93	
J. Myers,	"	8.11	
M. Hanscom,	"	4.73	
J. Keating,	"	6.08	
H. Donovan,	"	6.08	
R. Roberts,	"	6.08	
F. A. Lincoln,	"	2.02	
J. O'Donnell,	"	5.18	
J. Fallon,	"	4.05	
D. P. Conway,	"	5.70	
E. Devlin,	"	3.15	
E. Yancey,	"	6.08	
W. Magner,	"	6.08	
C. Ney,	"	6.08	
P. Doherty,	"	5.18	
J. Fedigan,	"	6.08	
T. Hoey,	"	5.17	
G. Cody,	"	4.06	
F. Riley,	"	6.08	
W. B. Jones,	"	14.00	
			$134.00

Main Street Water Main

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

P. J. Regan,	Labor	$28.09	
M. McPartland,	"	19.80	
E. Devlin,	"	27.85	
P. McPartland,	"	8.33	
J. O'Donnell,	"	10.57	
W. Magner,	"	18.91	
P. Doherty,	"	7.65	
L. Surette,	"	14.41	
R. Roberts,	"	13.28	
H. W. Donovan,	"	20.70	
D. P. Conway,	"	19.25	
J. Myers,	"	21.82	
J. Keating,	"	23.85	
C. Ney,	"	12.15	
T. Hoey,	"	14.48	
F. Riley,	"	19.36	
E. Yancy,	"	20.70	
F. A. Lincoln,	"	13.28	
C. Freeman,	"	13.28	
W. Casey,	"	11.25	
M. Hanscom,	"	13.28	
			$352.29

Water Department

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE

Main Street	$352.29
Mary's Lane	190.40
Oriental Court	13.81

Collincote Street..	.....	$891.52
Summer Street	.....	129.72
Forrest Street	.....	225.00
Pond Street	.....	117.12
Maintenance and Construction	.....	25,966.42
P. J. Regan,	Labor	718.58
D. Conway,	"	529.15
M. O'Loughlin,	"	105.34
P. McHale,	"	6.50
J. Connell,	"	10.35
P. Doherty,	"	11.03
P. McMahon,	"	99.95
P. McGovern,	"	68.67
M. McPartland,	"	217.99
J. Keating,	"	73.88
M. McCormick,	"	6.98
E. Devlin,	"	119.74
J. Myers,	"	149.38
S. Hines,	"	18.46
J. Fallon,	"	36.91
L. Surette,	"	89.36
E. Yancy,	"	22.51
M. Hanscom,	"	28.15
H. W. Donovan,	"	32.87
W. Magner,	"	67.75
C. Ney,	"	2.03
R. Roberts,	"	12.16
G. Cody,	"	14.18
F. Lincoln,	"	14.18
T. Hoey,	"	21.11
J. O'Donnell,	"	14.08
C. Freeman,	"	9.68
J. Fedigan,	"	21.73
J. Keating,	"	7.20

O Keating,	Labor.....	$4.80
H. Thompson,	"	14.21
M. Hardy,	"	13.23
W. Murphy,	"	.68
P. McPartland,	"	4.23
W. Valler,	"	9.80
C. H. Taylor,	"	10.68
E. R. Frost,	"	2.48
S. Lannon,	"	6.17
H. L. Kenson,	Draughting.....	60.15
Woburn L., H. & P. Co.,	Lighting.	10.97
Edison Elec. Ill. Co.,	" .	6.34
J. T. Fox,	Oil.....	6.00
Coffin Valve Co.,	Supplies	389.00
T. Hoey Supply Co.,	"	39.26
C. H. Walker & Co.,	"	37.25
National Meter Co.,	"	60.45
Pittsburg Meter Co.,	"	8.40
C. Baldwin,	"	1.15
Chadwick-Boston Lead Co.,	"	25.48
W. C. Whitcher,	"	67.25
Bell Hardware Co.,	"	6.16
Heath & Milligan Co.,	"	1.33
J. H. Cunningham Co.,	"	201.38
C. W. Houghton,	"	6.02
Colonial Supply Co.,	"	354.07
Blanchard, Kendall & Co.,	"	.60
W. H. Sprague, P. M.,	"	63.60
National Varnish Co.,	"	27.00
Wilson & Silsby,	"	14.85
Leadlined Iron Pipe Co.,	"	798.47
Climax Powder Co.,	"	17.25
Waitt, Ranlett Co.,	"	198.45
Perrin, Siemens Co.,	"	8.75

F. L. & W. E. Whittier,	Supplies	$20.75
McKenna Bros.,	"	71.46
Smith & Anthony Co.,	"	101.64
M. J. Drummond & Co.,	"	1,933.53
H. Stoehr & Co.,	"	7.13
J. B. Sanborn,	"	16.00
H. R. Worthington,	"	30.00
Vestal Oil Co.,	"	19.50
Dyar Supply Co.,	"	51.60
W. R. Murphy,	"	2.50
W. W. Fiske & Co.,	"	1.75
T. R. McNelly,	Stock and Labor	64.58
C. T. Symonds,	"	1.25
R. D. Wall,	"	13.35
Wm. Valler,	"	16.75
Dudley & Hodge,	"	4.00
T. A. Mulroney,	"	27.62
H. E. Hersam,	"	5.50
P. A. Stevens,	"	14.00
N. E. T. & T. Co.,	Tolls	19.51
B. & M. R. R.,	Freight	287.82
Town of Wakefield,	Water	51.00
J. A. Jones,	Insurance	195.72
Estate Wm. Tidd,	Rent	199.98
National Bank of Republic,	Notes	5,000.00
" " " "	Interest	4,042.50
A. H. Cowdrey,	Hay	36.59
J. Butler,	Teaming	54.45
C. M. Boyce & Son,	Teams	8.00
State, Water Loan Sinking Fund		2,042.95
" " " " "		
Interest		5,312.13
State, Water Loan Maintenance		1,307.25
		$25,966.42

Water for Hydrants

Detail of Expenditure

Water Department	$1,000.00

Street Lighting

Appropriation	$4,200.00
Received from State	322.47
Due from State	107.49
	$4,629.96
Expended	4,586.07
Unexpended	$43.89

Detail of Expenditure

Woburn Light, Heat and Power Company and Edison Electric Illuminating Co	$4,586,07

Rent of Town Offices

Appropriation	$720.00
Received from Co-operative Bank	48.00
	$768.00
Expended	720.00
Unexpended	$48.00

Detail of Expenditure

Charles Buck	$720.00

Printing Town Reports

Appropriation	$400.00
Expended	347.50
Unexpended	$52.50

Detail of Expenditure

F. L. & W. E. Whittier	$347.50

Sewer Department

Detail of Expenditure

Warren Street Sewer, Labor		$134.00
Spring " " "		1,509.70
C. H. Walker & Co., Rent		100.00
" " "	Supplies	241.75
J. A. Jones,	"	102.94
W. B. Hubbard & Sons Co.,	"	59.20
Sturtevant & Gilbert,	"	2.05
Colonial Supply Co.,	"	58.08
W. C. Whitcher,	"	.18
Blanchard, Kendall & Co.,	"	25.93
McKenna Bros.,	"	5.78
C. Baldwin,	"	.55
T. Hoey Supply Co.,	"	59.20
Laflin & Rand Powder Co.,	"	40.50
N. E. Brick Co.,	"	64.00
B. & M. R. R., Freight		4.47
T. R. McNelly,	Stock and Labor	47.45
J. J. Claffy,	"	9.50
T. A. Mulroney,	"	8.85
T. Patchett,	"	12.40

National Bank of Republic, Note...		$4,000.00	
Maryland Casualty Co., Insurance..		58.09	
J. Butler, Teaming		12.00	
P. J. Regan,	Labor.....	205.91	
D. Conway,	"	65.50	
P. McMahon,	"	322.02	
M. O'Loughlin,	"	320.22	
P. McGovern,	"	309.43	
J. Keating,	"	55.57	
M. McPartland,	"	61.66	
M. McCormick,	"	11.03	
E. Devlin,	"	74.93	
J. Fallon,	"	9.22	
J. Myers,	"	30.82	
S. Hines,	"	10.13	
L. Surette,	"	15.09	
H. W. Donovan,	"	7.87	
E. Yancy,	"	9.91	
E. Devlin,	"	4.05	
W. Magner,	"	19.80	
M. Hanscom,	"	13.95	
C. Ney,	"	4.05	
			$8,107.78

A. W. Rice, Collector, 1901

DR.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905	$385.31	
To interest collected	4.82	
		$390.13

Cr.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas	$142.32	
" " " " " "		
interest	4.82	
By abatements	242.99	
		$390.13

Watering Streets

Dr.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905..... .	$8.25

Cr.

By abatement.....	$8.25	

Sewer Construction Assessment

Dr.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905.....	$204.97

Cr.

By transfer to S. A. Lawrence, Collector, 1902.....	$204.97	

S. A. Lawrence, Collector, 1902

Dr.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905	$3,300.74	
To interest collected to Jan. 1, 1906	263.48	
		$3,564.22

Cr.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$2,402.45	
By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas interest to Jan. 1, 1906	263.48	
By abatements	479.67	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	418.62	
		$3,564.22

Watering Streets.

Dr.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905	$70.76

Cr.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$20.72	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	50.04	
		$70.76

Sewer Construction Assessment

Dr.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905	$694.74

Cr.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$484.42	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	210.32	
		$694.74

SIDEWALK ASSESSMENT

(Abuttors to pay one per cent)

DR.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905	$59.37	
To interest collected to Jan. 1, 1906	1.08	
		$60.45

CR.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$9.70	
By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas interest to Jan. 1, 1906	1.08	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	49.67	
		$60.45

S. A. Lawrence, Collector, 1903

DR.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905	$15,961.83	
To interest collected to Jan. 1, 1906	905.33	
		$16,867.16

CR.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$12,416.82	
By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas interest to Jan. 1, 1906	905.33	
By abatements to Jan. 1, 1906	983.47	
Discounts allowed	1.49	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	2,560.05	
		$16,867.16

Watering Streets

Dr.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905	$57.03

Cr.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$39.67	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	17.36	
		$57.03

Sidewalk Assessment

(Abuttors to pay one per cent)

Dr.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905	$34.39

Cr.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$12.50	
Uncollected Jan. 1. 1906	21.89	
		$34.39

Sewer Construction Assessment

Dr.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905	$893.47

Cr.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$456.25	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	437.22	
		$893.47

S. A. Lawrence, Collector, 1904

DR.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905	$34,780.33	
To addition assessments	114.00	
To interest collected to Jan. 1, 1906	385.25	
		$35,279.58

CR.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906.....	$18,400.10	
By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas interest to Jan. 1, 1906.....	385.25	
Discounts allowed	12.25	
By abatements	948.17	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906.....	15,533.81	
		$35,279.58

WATERING STREETS

DR.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905.....	$87.03

CR.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906.....	$53.72	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906.....	33.31	
		$87.03

SEWER CONSTRUCTION ASSESSMENT

DR.

To balance uncollected Jan. 1, 1905.....	$1,843.28

Cr.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$586.17	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	1,257.11	
		$1,843.28

S. A. Lawrence, Collector, 1905

Dr.

To assessment tax 1905	$111,982.53	
To interest collected to Jan. 1, 1906	6.69	
		$111,989.22

Cr.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$70,325.99	
By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas interest to Jan. 1, 1906	6.69	
By discounts allowed	732.12	
By abatements to Jan. 1, 1906	1,670.81	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	39,253.61	
		$111,989.22

Watering Streets.

Dr.

To assessment tax 1905	$332.84

Cr.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$236.54	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	96.30	
		$332.84

SEWER CONSTRUCTION ASSESSMENT

DR.

To apportionment 1905		$3,790.31

CR.

By cash paid F. E. Nickerson, Treas to Jan. 1, 1906	$1,949.80	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1906	1,840.51	
		$3,790.31

Almshouse

PERSONAL PROPERTY

Jan. 1, 1905 Inventory			$5,083.39
	Jan. 1, 1905	Jan. 1, 1906	
Stock	$892.00	$1,015.00	
Hay and Grain	540.00	758.49	
Manure	160.00	230.00	
Farm. Tools & Wagons	970.05	1,056.75	
Coal and Wood	123.00	443.00	
Provisions	186.54	120.90	
Crockery and Tinware	103.00	105.00	
Furniture	842.05	882.85	
Cash in hands of Warden	7.93	77.56	
Due for Milk	121.43	86.63	
	$3,946.40	$4,776.18	
Coal & Wood Disbursed		$279.75	
			$5,055.93
Depreciation			$27.46

Appropriations, Receipts, Expenditures and Balances

Accounts	Appro.	Receipts	Expended	Unexpended	Overdrawn
Almshouse and Poor	$5 000 00	$3 119 32	$7 218 00	$901 32	
Armory and Range		772 30	1 105 59		$333 29
Browntail and Gypsy Moth	3 000 00	2 213 15	5 236 59		State Pays
Street Lights	4 200 00	322 47	4 586 07		Due fr. State
Rent	720 00	48 00	720 00	48 00	
Military Aid	100 00	190 00	184 00		State Pays
Snow	2 350 00		2 008 63	341 37	
Interest	6 399 18		6 746 13		346 95
State Aid		5 283 00	5 400 50		State Pays
Lindenwood Cemetery	252 96	2 501 70	2 352 99	401 67	
Notes			55 000 00		
Debt	13 500 00		13 500 00		
Perpetual Care of Lots		562 50	562 50		
Street Rails	300 00		298 13	1 87	
Old Cemetery	35 00		32 22	2 78	
Miscellaneous	3 607 02	76 75	3 680 95	2 82	
Schools	27 200 00	191 70	27 379 20	12 50	
Fire Department	5 200 00		5 105 10	94 90	
Chemical Apparatus	450 00		450 00		
Fire Alarm Box	150 00		150 00		
Soldiers' Relief	3 000 00	271 00	3 998 55		727 54
Public Library	1 849 15	619 80	2 303 57	165 38	
Highways	6 000 00	118 76	6 112 12	6 64	
Police	3 000 00		2 996 34	3 66	
Town Clerk	700 00		700 00		
Clerk B. P. Works	300 00		300 00		
Overseers of Poor	400 00		400 00		

Assessors	900 00		900 00		
Selectmen	300 00		300 00		
Collector	650 00		650 00		
Inspector of Plumbing	300 00		300 00		
Treasurer	500 00		500 00		
Water Registrar	200 00		200 00		
Board of Public Works	300 00		300 00		
Auditors	300 00		300 00		
Board of Health	150 00		150 00		
Sealer of Weights and Measures	100 00		100 00		
Janitor	150 00		150 00		
Registrars	125 00		125 00		
Moderator	25 00		25 00		
Franklin Street	7 500 00	3 171 59	7 598 69	3 072 90	
Concrete	675 00		600 00	75 00	
Hydrants	1 000 00		1 000 00		
Printing	400 00		347 50	52 50	
Trees	250 00		250 00		
Decoration Day	350 00		324 69	25 31	
George Street Sidewalk	500 00		499 92	08	
New Hydrants	150 00		150 00		
Sewer Maintenance	1 500 00		1 500 00		
West Hancock Street	400 00		398 43	1 57	
Street Watering			567 11		
County Tax			5 222 23		
State Tax			14 239 13		
Moths on Private Property	500 00		128 39	371 61	
			$195 353 26		

Town Treasurer's Report

DR.

1905.	Balance on hand	$3,396.53
Received	A. V. Tilton, Perpetual Care of Lot	100.00
"	A. Stone, " " " "	100.00
"	R. Horne, " " " "	100.00
"	E. W. Pierce. " " " "	100.00
"	L. E. Lombard, " " " "	50.00
"	M. H. Valler, " " " "	100.00
"	L. Emerson, " " " "	50.00
"	D. Carbee, " " " "	100.00
"	A. J. Herrick, " " " "	100.00
"	N. S. Loud, " " " "	100.00
"	Wm. Hayes, " " " "	100.00
"	E. Sherburne, " " " "	100.00
"	M. B. Baldwin, " " " "	100.00
"	Ira Gerry Estate, " " " "	300.00
"	Care and Repairs of Cemetery Lots	1,364.20
"	Perpetual Care Fund Income	562.50
"	Sale of Lots	428.00
"	Sale of Single Graves	88.00
"	Sale of Wood and Grass	59.00
"	Almshouse and Town Farm	2,276.12
"	State, Cities and Towns, Account Poor	831.20
"	Alice Denif Account Mary Cass, Account Poor	12.00
"	Rent of Armory	762.50
"	Sale of Junk, Armory	2.80
"	S. H. S. Basket Ball Damages, Armory	7.00
"	Sale of Town Notes	65,000.00
"	Police Fines	204.75
"	State Corporation Tax	1,247.68
"	" Tax on Spot Pond Land	1,098.41
"	" National Bank Tax	1,391.72
"	" Military Aid	190.00
"	" State Aid	5,283.00
"	" Street Railway Tax	949.43
"	Library Dog Tax License and Fees	513.80
"	" Fines and Catalogues	106.00
"	" Construction	1.92
"	J. Gerrish, Peddler's License	12.00
"	S. M. Copper, " "	12.00

Received	Stoneham National Bank, Interest	$74.25
"	" Co-operative Bank, Rent	48.00
"	" Woman's Club for Manual Tr., Schools	69.20
"	State for Education of Children, Schools	110.00
"	Tuition, Schools	12.50
"	State for Lighting Park Roads	322.47
"	" Cities and Towns, Account Soldier's Relief	271.00
"	Roman Catholic Archbishop, Land Broadway	553.72
"	J. A. Stockwell, Atty., Costs Haley vs. Town	74.60
"	G. N. Green, Postage	2.15
"	W. A. Bartlett, Sealer's Fees	.48
"	B. & N. Street Railway, Account Franklin Street	136.59
"	W. S. Grose & Co., " " "	35.00
"	B. & N. Street Railway, Account Highways	109.51
"	J. A. Jones, Stone Dust, " "	6.75
"	S. A. Hill, " " " "	2.50
"	B. & N. Street Railway, Excise Tax	1,104.21
"	State, Account Browntail and Gypsy Moth	2,213.15
"	Blodgett, Merritt & Co., Accrued Int. Sewer Bonds	1.56
"	A. F. Hayward, Weigher's Fees	22.78
"	G. N. Green, Recording Mortgages	31.50
"	" " " Discharges	8.25
"	" " " Assignments	4.25
"	" " Marriage Licenses	34.00
"	" " J. T. Nowell Auctioneer's License	2.00
"	" " W. D. Maguire " "	2.00
"	" " W. H. Harris Pool License	2.00
"	" " A. W. Wass " "	2.00
"	" " C. E. Johnson " "	2.00
"	" " Parks Bowling License	2.00
"	" " Plumber's License	1.50
"	Edison Electric Illuminating Co., Postage	.35
"	County of Middlesex, Credit Franklin Street	3,000.00
"	S. A. Lawrence, Col. 1905 Tax	70,325.99
"	" " " 1905 Interest	6.69
"	" " " 1905 Street Watering	236.53
"	" " " 1905 Abatements	1,670.81
"	" " " 1904 Tax	18,693.90
"	" " " 1904 Interest	389.26
"	" " " 1904 Street Watering	53.72
"	" " " 1904 Abatements	948.17
"	" " " 1903 Tax	12,416.82
"	" " " 1903 Interest	905.33

Received S. A. Lawrence Col.	1903 Street Watering		$39.67
" " " "	1903 Sidewalk		12.50
" " " "	1903 Abatements		983.47
" " " "	1902 Tax		2,402.45
" " " "	1902 Interest		263.48
" " " "	1902 Street Watering		20.72
" " " "	1902 Sidewalk		9.70
" " " "	1902 Interest on Sidewalk		1.08
" " " "	1902 Abatements		479.67
" A. W. Rice, Col.	1901 Tax		142.32
" " " "	1901 Interest		4.82
" " " "	1901 Abatements		242.99
" " " "	1901 Sidewalk Abatements		8.25
			$205,821.17

Cr.

1906 Bills paid as per Auditors' Report		$195,353.26
February Balance Cash in Bank	$314.34	
" " " on Hand	398.64	
		$712.98
1905 Abatements	$1,670.81	
1904 "	948.17	
1903 "	983.47	
1902 "	479.66	
1901 "	242.99	
1901 " Street Watering	12.90	
		$4,338.01
1906 Bills paid and held as Cash		$5,416.92
		$205,821.17

Sewer Account

Dr.

1905. Balance on Hand		$4,194.48
Received T. R. Symmes,	h. c. 512	28.67
" N. E. Gelatine Co.,	Repairs	1.73
" L. B. Sturtevant,	h. c. 531	25.64
" W. Scrawnage,	" 533	29.16
" Estate R. Horne,	" 537	58.40
" E. E. Cowdrey,	" 530	23.15

Received	Town for Maintenance		$1,500.00
"	J. Horovitz, Junk		8.70
"	C. W. Tidd,	h. c. 541	29.68
"	J. A. Stockwell,	h.c. 544	29.84
"	M. M. Lilly,	" 543	18.63
"	S. M. K. Harrison,	" 535	27.76
"	E. P. Dodge,	" 536	24.53
"	M. H. McKenna, Pipe		3.76
"	W. E. Hurd,	h. c. 546	25.89
"	S. W. Green,	" 538	47.54
"	A. Christensen, Dynamite		.42
"	B. & M. R. R. Repairs		11.91
"	H. A. Berry,	h. c. 542	36.14
"	C. Buck, Manhole Frame		11.50
"	C. Buck, 50 Hours' Labor		11.25
"	Reading Co-op. Bank,	h. c. 565	5.71
"	L. M. Canty,	h. c. 549	17.28
"	F. W. Johnson,	" 550	16.95
"	W.P. Fletcher,	" 562	46.09
"	Mae Prescott,	" 547	19.11
"	F. N. Davis,	" 545	17.02
"	P. Flynn,	" 555	22.62
"	W. N. Gray,	" 540	46.32
"	" "	" 559	12.82
"	C. E. Dike,	" 548	19.23
"	L. M. Phinney, Pipe		11.45
"	S. F. Sibley,	h. c. 563	17.67
"	A. R. Knapp,	" 551	3.34
"	" "	" 550	25.58
"	D. Sears,	" 561	19.18
"	E. G. Strout,	" 566	28.63
"	E. Gerry, Jr.,	" 568	25.05
"	W. G. Parks,	" 567	21.43
"	A. E. Carr,	" 539	26 86
"	A. H. Tredick,	" 553	20.23
"	H. H. Mercer, Pipe		4.40
"	L. H. Whowell.	h. c. 570	19.74
"	G. E. Spiller,	" 572	18.75
"	Blodget, Merritt Co., for 2 Bonds No. 125, 126		2,000.00
"	" Premium at 106.53		130.60
"	L. V. Colahan,	h. c. 556	15.96
"	B. & M. R. R.	" 573	24.76
"	Highway Department, for Stock		126.87

Received C. E. McKeen,	h. c. 574	$19.20
" A. F. Hayward,	" 514	21.68
" R. A. Johnson,	" 575	20.74
" Stoneham National Bank, Interest		26.80
		$9,000.85
" S. A. Lawaence, Col., Account of Assessments	1905	$1,949.83
" " " " " " "	1904	586.17
" " " " " " "	1903	456.25
" " " " " " "	1902	484.42
		$12,477.52

CR.

Bills paid as per Auditors' Report		$8,107.78
Balance Cash in Stoneham Nat. Bank	$4,284.86	
" " on Hand	84.88	
		$4,369.74
		$12,477.52

Water Department

DR.

1905. Balance Cash		$11,102.08
Received on June 1905 Rates		11,997.62
" " December 1905 Rates		10,557.72
" Stoneham National Bank, Interest		111.38
" Accrued Interest on Bonds Sold		4.67
" State on Water Loan Sinking Fund		64.60
" " " Metropolitan Water Maintenance Fund		107.49
" Cost of Hydrants		150.00
" For 4 Bonds, Nos. 134 to 137 Inclusive		4,000 00
" For Premium on Same		2.00
" For New Services, Relays, Pipe and Labor		872.70
		$38,970.26

CR.

Bills paid as per Auditors' Report		$27,886.28
Balance Cash in Stoneham National Bank	$10,980.68	
" " on Hand	103.30	
		$11,083.98
		$38,970.26

Town Treasurer's Report

Amount of Indebtedness as per 1905 Report				$283,600.00
Of which the following has been paid, viz:				
April 10, 1905.		Anticipation of Taxes	$10,000.00	
Dec. 1,	"	General	5,000.00	
July 1,	"	Schoolhouses	2,000.00	
June 8,	"	New Library	1,500.00	
June 15,	"	Franklin Street	2,000.00	
June 1,	"	Sewer Bonds	4,000.00	
April 1,	"	High School Bonds	3,000.00	
May 1,	"	Water Bonds	5,000.00	
				$32,500.00
				$251,100.00
The following are new loans, viz:				
Anticipation of Taxes, due April 27, 1906			$10,000.00	
" " " " April 16, 1906			10,000.00	
Sewer Bonds,		" June 5, 1925-26	2,000.00	
Water "		" May 1, 1928-29	4,000.00	
				$26,000.00
Amount of Present List				$277,100.00
Divided as follows, viz:				
Anticipation of 1905 Taxes			$20,000.00	
Library			100.00	
General			5,000.00	
New Library			2,000.00	
Franklin Street			2,000.00	
Sewer			90,000.00	
High School			41,000.00	
Water			117,000.00	
				$277,100.00

Demands on Interest

Date	To Whom Given	Purpose of Issue	Rate	Date	Amount
Jan. 27, 1906	Stoneham 5c Savings Bank	Anticipation of Taxes	4	April 27, 1906	$10 000
June 14, 1892	Stoneham Public Library	Library	6	Demand	100
Nov. 16, 1905	Bearer	Anticipation of Taxes	4.60	April 16, 1906	10 000
Dec. 1, 1896	"	General	4	December 1, 1006	5 000
June 8, 1904	"	New Library	4	June 8, 1906	1 000
"	"	"	4	" 1907	1 000
June 15, 1904	"	Franklin Street	4	June 15, 1906	2 000
June 1, 1896	"	Sewer	4	June 1, 1906	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1907	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1908	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1909	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1910	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1911	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1912	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1913	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1914	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1915	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1916	4 000
"	"	"	4	" 1917	5 000
"	"	"	4	" 1918	5 000
"	"	"	4	" 1919	5 000
"	"	"	4	" 1920	5 000
"	"	"	4	" 1921	5 000
"	"	"	4	" 1922	5 000
"	"	"	4	" 1923	5 000
"	"	"	4	" 1924	5 000
"	"	"	4	" 1925	5 000

"	"	"	4	" 1926	1 000
April 1, 1901	"	High School	3½	Apr. 1, 1906	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1907	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1908	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1909	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1910	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1911	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1912	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1913	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1914	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1915	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1916	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1917	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1918	3 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1919	2 000
May 1, 1901	"	Water	3½	May 1, 1906	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1907	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1908	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1909	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1910	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1911	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1912	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1913	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1914	5 000
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"	"	"	3½	" 1919	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1920	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1921	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1922	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1923	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1924	5 000

Demands on Interest

Date	To Whom Given	Purpose of Issue	Rate	Date	Amount
May 1, 1901	Bearer	Water	3½	May 1, 1925	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1926	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1927	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1928	5 000
"	"	"	3½	" 1929	2 000
					$277 100

Town Treasurer's Report

Amount of Indebtedness as per this report		$277,100.00
Due from Unpaid Taxes	$61,776.49	
Cash on Hand Regular Department (including 1906 bills paid)	6,129.90	
Cash on Hand, Water Department	103 30	
" " " Sewer Department	84.88	
" in Bank, Regular "	314.34	
" " " Water "	10,980.68	
" " " Sewer "	4,284.86	
Invested in Water Plant and Self Supporting	117,000.00	
		$200,674.45
Net Balance Against Town 1906		$76,425.55
" " " " 1905		88,525.41

I would recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year, viz:

For Payment of Interest	$6,500.00
" " " Debt Notes	8,000.00
" " " School Bonds	3,000.00

Sewer Bonds Maturing June 1, 1906 paid from Assessment.
Water Bonds and Interest on same paid from Water Department.

Respectfully submitted,
F. E. NICKERSON, Treasurer.

Auditors' Statement

We, the undersigned, have examined the accounts of F. E. Nickerson, Treasurer of the Town of Stoneham, and find he has received and paid the following amounts, viz:

SEWER DEPARTMENT

Balance on Hand February 1905		$4,194.48
Received		8,283.04
Total		$12,477.52
Paid		8.107.78
Balance Cash in Stoneham National Bank	$4,284.86	
" " on Hand	84.88	
		$4,369 74

Water Department

Balance on Hand February 1905		$11,102.08
Received		27,868.18
Total		$38,970.26
Paid		$27,886.28
Balance Cash in Stoneham National Bank	$10,980.68	
" " on Hand	103.30	
		$11,083.98

Regular Departments

Balance on Hand February 1905		$3,396.53
Received		202,424.64
Total		$205,821.17
Paid		195,353.26
		$10,467.91
Balance Cash in Stoneham National Bank	$314.34	
" " on Hand	398.64	
" 1906 Bills Paid	5,461.92	
" Abatements	4,338.01	
		$10,467.91

FRED H. CHASE,
T. S. IRELAND,
Auditors.

List and Details of Insurance Carried by the Town

Name of Co.	Policy No.	Term	Date Com.	Date Ter.	Amt.	Rate	Prem.	Kind of Ins.	Property	Agent
Maryland Cas.	D101708	1y	Apr. 11, '05	Apr. 11, '06	$1 000	3	$30 00	Public Liab.	Sewer Dept.	J. A. Jones
					3 000	2	60 00		Water Dept.	
					3 500	1½	52 50		Street Dept.	
					700	12	84		St. Cr. Dept.	
Maryland Cas.	C102660	1y	Apr. 11, '05	Apr. 11, '06	1 000	6.7½	60 75	Emp. Liab.	Sewer Dept.	J. A. Jones
					3 000	2.70	81 00		Water Dept.	
					3 500	2.2½	70 87		Street Dept.	
					700	60	4 20		St. Cr. Dept.	
Maryland Cas.	E102479	1y	Apr. 11, '05	Apr. 14, '06	7 tms	16.25	113 75	Teams Liab.	Street Dept.	J. A. Jones
					2 spr.	7.70	15 40			
Hartford S. B.	39097	3y	Mar. 28, '03	Mar. 28, '06	6 000	1	60 00	Steam Boiler	StoneCrusher	J. A. Jones
	41091		Apr. 26, '04	Apr. 26, '07	5 000	1	50 00		Road Roller	
No. Brit. & Mer.	3244166	5y	May 1, '01	May 1, '06	3 000	2¼	67 50	Fire	Dean School	J. A. Jones
Niagara	6486	5y	May 1, '01	May 1, '06	3 000	2¼	67 50			
Pennsylvania	204978	5y	Nov. 13, '02	Nov. 13, '07	4 000	2¼	90 00			
Western	1863688	5y	Feb. 17, '03	Feb. 17, '08	2 000	2¼	45 00			O. Gilmore
National	119624	5y	Feb. 19, '03	Feb. 19, '08	2 000	2¼	45 00			& Co.
Quincy	235343	3y	Oct. 1, '03	Oct. 1, '06	2 025		38 88	Fire	Almshouse	O. Gilmore
Cambridge	99049	3y	Nov. 18, '03	Nov. 18, '06	2 025		38 88			& Co.
Traders & Mech.	205392	3y	Sept. 4, '05	Sept. 4, '08	2 100		48 72			
Pawtucket	108372	3y	Oct. 2, '05	Oct. 2, '08	2 100		55 44			

List of Trust Funds for Perpetual Care of Lots in Lindenwood Cemetery

No.	Name	Amt.	No.	Name	Amt.
139	S. Bucknam	$100 00	861	M. E. Lewis	100 00
672	Jesse Curtis	100 00	497	O. F. Huntoon	100 00
280	O. Richardson	100 00	728-9	R.M.& A.R.Hersam	100 00
387	D. Stevens	50 00	1237	Ann E. Manning	100 00
284	Skinner & Millikin	100 00	312-3	E. Gerry	100 00
889	G. E. Wright	50 00	63	Howe & Tyler	100 00
124	H. P. Wiley	100 00	448-9-50	P. Beard	100 00
57	Bancroft & Chater	100 00	617	S. E. Taylor	100 00
557	S. C. Pinkham	125 00	227-8	Colley & Dike	150 00
327	Mary Blaisdell	300 00	867	E. B. Lawrence	100 00
249-52-71-72	G. W. Dike	192 20	322B	M. M. Dale	100 00
417	W. Danforth	50 00	322	J. H. Eastman	100 00
427	Wm. Babb	50 00	443-4	I. F. Hersam	100 00
673-4	T. G. Durkee	200 00	488	J. Best	100 00
295	S. S. Weed	60 00	701	W. D. Byron	100 00
202	Chas. Lane	75 00	149	G. T. A. Hall	100 00
55-6	J. Fay	200 00	1213	J. Galletly	100 00
110	Parker & Bowman	100 00	881-2	O. Gilmore	100 00
1204	J. D. Pierce	100 00	680	Chas. Tredick	100 00
221-46-47	Dike, Hosea & Lyon	200 00	1058	M. Williams	150 00
533	G. H. Putney	100 00	1233	G. W. Newhall	100 00
278-9	S. D. Hersam	100 00	475	H. H. Jones	100 00
120	E. D. Hawkins	100 00	633	J. A. Lovejoy	100 00
430-31	Thad. Richardson	200 00	267	A. H. Tredick	200 00
418	E. G. Richardson	100 00	374	Kaime & Green	50 00
711	F. P. Turner	100 00	82	D. H. Tilton	100 00
942	P. C. Thompson	100 00	90	C. Stone	100 00
659	S. M. Thorp	100 00	472	E. W. Pierce	100 00
84-5	Cynthia Farrier	300 00	660	L. E. Lombard	50 00
377	J. Allen	100 00	1036	M. H. Valler	100 00
217	K. L. Badger	100 00	270	Chas. Emerson	50 00
73	S. K. Hildreth	100 00	1239	Dora Carbee	100 00
939	D. H. Messer	50 00	65	Henry Herrick	100 00
945	S. H. & D. D. Green	100 00	914	Nathaniel Loud	100 00
741	M. B. Hayes	100 00	213	Wm. Hayes	100 00
433-4	M. I. Richardson	200 00	807-9	Elez Sherburne	100 00
1245	E. T. Palmeter	100 00	496	M. B. Baldwin	100 00
A	Paulina Gerry	300 00		Total	$8 452 20

TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS.

To John C. C. Small, or either of the Constables of the Town of Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex. GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Stoneham, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in Armory Hall in said town, on

Monday, the Fifth Day of March,

A. D. 1906, at five o'clock and forty-five minutes in the forenoon, to act on the following articles of this warrant:

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To choose a Town Clerk for three years; a Town Treasurer, three Selectmen, three Assessors, three Overseers of the Poor, three Constables, two Auditors, a Tax Collector, one member of the School Committee, and a Tree Warden, all for one year; also one Commissioner of Public Works, one member of the Board of Health, one member of the School Committee, one Park Commissioner, and two Trustees of the Public Library, all for three years; also one Trustee of Lindenwood Cemetery for five years; also to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?" all on one ballot, in accordance with votes of the town, and the Revised Laws of Massachusetts.

ART. 3. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

ART. 4. To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and to act thereon, and to choose Committees.

ART. 5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the year ensuing, and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs and decoration of soldiers graves for the year ensuing.

ART. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of books and for the support of the free public library and reading room for the year ensuing.

ART. 8. To see in what manner the town will appropriate the money received for licenses of dogs.

ART. 9. To see if the town will authorize its Treasurer to hire money for the use of the town, under the direction of the Selectmen.

ART. 10. To see if the town will authorize its Collector to use all means of collecting taxes which the Town Treasurer may use when appointed Collector.

ART. 11. To see if the town will accept the List of Jurors as revised by the Selectmen.

ART. 12. To see if the town will vote to grant the free use of Armory Hall to Post 75, G. A. R., six evenings in the coming year, when not otherwise engaged.

ART. 13. To see if the town will vote to fix the time for allowing discounts on taxes, and also fix the time when uncollected taxes shall go on interest; fix the rate of discount to be allowed, and the rate of interest to be charged, and take such other action as may be necessary in relation to the same.

ART. 14. To see if the town will vote to water the streets of the town, or any of them, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the town will vote to grant the free use of Armory Hall to the High School Alumni Association one night in the coming year, when not otherwise engaged.

ART. 16. To see if the town will appropriate the sum $2341.72 on account of Highways, and credit the same to the Sewer Construction account; said sum being the amount expended by the Sewer Department

in constructing surface drains for the Highway Department in the years 1896 to 1902 inclusive; said drains being constructed by request of the Boards of Selectmen.

ART. 17. To see if the town will vote to establish the grade and repair Cedar avenue and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 18. To see if the town will vote to repair East street from Spring street to the town line; also construct a sidewalk on the southerly side of said East street, and make an appropriation for said repairs and sidewalk, or do anything in relation to the same.

ART. 19. To see if the town will vote to establish the grade and repair Albion avenue, and appropriate the sum of $100 for the same.

ART. 20. To see if the town will vote to repair Warren street between Hancock and Maple streets, cover the easterly sidewalk on said Warren street with crushed stone, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 21. To see if the town will vote to repair Chestnut street, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 22. To see if the town will vote to accept as public town ways the following proposed streets as laid out by the Selectmen: Manison street, leading from Maple street in a southerly direction about 750 feet; Plaza avenue, leading southerly from Franklin street about 375 feet; Cowdrey street, leading from High street westerly to Collincote street; and that part of Columbus avenue leading westerly from Isabella street about 350 feet to land of John Walsh, make appropriations for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 23. To see if the town will vote to construct a sidewalk on Main street from where the sidewalk now ends near the residence of Maurice Meade, northerly to the Reading town line, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 24. To see if the town will vote to construct a sidewalk and gutter on the westerly side of Park street from Marble street to Maple street, and make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 25. To see if the town will vote to lower the culvert in Perkins street, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 26. To see what sum of money the town will appropriate for repairs and construction of catch basins and public drains.

ART. 27. To see if the town will vote to enlarge the culvert under Stevens street, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 28. To see if the town will vote to construct a Drain across William street from land of J. P. Hylan to land of Sumner Richardson, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 29. To see if the town will vote to clean out the Public Drain running southerly fron Meeting-house Swamp (so called) to Doleful Pond, and make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 30. To see if the town will vote to purchase 1000 feet of hose for the Fire Department, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 31. To see if the town will vote to locate a Fire Alarm Box at the junction of Pleasant and Spring streets and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 32. To see if the town will vote to locate a hydrant at the corner of Mount Pleasant and Prospect streets, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 33. To see if the town will vote to purchase a drinking fountain and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 34. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Board of Health to employ a Medical Inspector for the Public Schools, and appropriate the sum of $150 for salary of the same.

ART. 35. To see if the town will vote to locate Incandescent Electric Lights as follows: One on Oriental court, half way between Pleasant and Gould streets; two on Collincote street, between the residence of James Grant and Steele street; three on Broadway, between High and Main streets; one at the junction of Warren and Marble streets; one on Pearl street; one at the corner of North avenue and Perkins street; one on William street, near the residence of W. S. Hanscom, make appropriations for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 36. To see if the town will vote to construct Concrete Sidewalks on Chestnut street, where none now exist, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43, of the Revised Laws, repair existing walks and extend the same across Montvale avenue, and appropriate the sum of $75 for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 37. To see if the town will vote to repair the Concrete Sidewalk on the easterly side of Main street, from Elm street to near the residence of Maurice Meade, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 38. To see if the town will vote to construct a Concrete Sidewalk on the westerly side of Pine street, from the division line of the town's land and land of Timothy J. Sullivan northerly to Common street, under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43, of the Revised Laws.

ART. 39. To see if the town will vote to repair the wall in the ditch abutting land of John F. Doherty on Summer street, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 40. To see if the town will vote to petition the Legislature to abolish the Board of Public Works, established by Chapter 263 of the Acts of 1902, and Acts amendatory thereof, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 41. To see if the town will vote to lay a Water Main in and through Stevens street from the end of the present main therein southerly to Franklin street, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 42. To see if the town will vote to locate three Incandescent Electric Lights on North street, between Forest street and the Woburn line, make an appropriation for the same or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 43. To see if the town will vote to lay a water main in and through Main street from the end of the present main therein near the residence of William Breagy, southerly to connect with the main therein near South street, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 44. To see if the town will vote to repair or relay the existing water main in Summer street between Pine street and Main street, and relocate the mains at the junction of Main, Marble and Summer streets, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 45. To see if the town will vote to lay a water main in and through Lindenwood road, from Cottage street westerly to West street, and from Lindenwood road in and through West street northerly to or near the residence of T. Brooks Hadley, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 46. To see if the town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to petition the Legislature for authority to pay Maurice Meade the sum of $51.51, being the amount of taxes paid by him in Stoneham from 1895 to 1904 inclusive, on land which he did not own.

ART. 47. To see if the town will vote to sell a parcel of land situated on the northerly side of Mt. Pleasant street and in the rear of the gravel pit on Wasnington street, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 48. To see if the town will vote to establish and maintain a Yard for Stable and Storage purposes for the Highway, Water and Sewer Departments, by purchase or otherwise, make an appropriation for the same, or do anything in relation thereto.

ART. 49. To see if the town will vote to establish a Nursery of suitable Trees on some portion of the town land, said trees to be available for replacing those now being rapidly destroyed, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 50. To see if the town will pay to Patrick McKernan the sum of $11.75, said sum being one half the cost of the concrete sidewalk abutting the premises of Mr. McKernan on Franklin street and paid for by him in full; said payment to be made under the provisions of Chapter 49, Section 43 of the revised laws.

ART. 51. To see if the town will vote to construct a Sewer or Drain or both in and through Isabella and Franklin streets as follows, namely: Beginning in Isabella street, at Columbus avenue, thence through Isabella street to Franklin street; thence through Franklin street to Harrison street, there to connect with existing sewer; appropriate money therefor; issue and sell town bonds to provide money therefor; pass any vote or takeany action relative thereto.

ART. 52. To see if the town will vote to construct a Drain in vicinity of Columbus avenue and Isabella street, as recommended by Sanitary Engineer employed by town to examine conditions there existing, appropriate money therefor; pass any votes or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 53. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $310 for the purpose of repairing and painting the Centre Schoolhouse, or do anything in relation to the same.

ART. 54 To see if the town will vote to rebuild or repair the fence on the east line of Lindenwood Cemetery, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 55. To see if the town will vote to locate an Electric Arc Light near Lindenwood Station, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 56. To see if the town will vote to locate an Incandescent Electric Light on Montvale avenue near the residence of J. W. MacDonald, and make an appropriation for the same.

ART. 57. To hear the report of County Commissioners on the lay out of Green's lane, to act thereon, and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 58. To hear the report of the Committee on Revision of the By-Laws, and to act thereon.

ART. 59. To see if the town will request the Selectmen to issue Licenses for Collecting Junk to citizens of the town only.

ART. 60. To see what action the town will take in the suits for damages brought against the town by James F. Cosgriff, Mary A. Cosgriff and Mary A. Lawless, caused, as they claim, from dust from the stone crusher; also the suit for personal injury to Mary G. Byron.

Art. 61. To see if the town will vote to Concrete the Sidewalk on the easterly side of Main street, from Winter street to Pleasant street, under the provisions of Chapter 49 of Section 43 of the Revised Laws, and make an appropriation for the same.

And you are directed to have one hundred copies of this warrant printed, and to serve the same by posting up twenty-five attested copies as follows, viz: — One at each of the Meeting-houses and School-houses in said town, and the residue of the twenty-five copies in conspicuous places in different sections of said town, seven days at least before the time for holding said meeting. The remaining seventy-five copies you are required to have at the place and time of meeting as aforesaid for distribution.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty-third day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

HARRY E. HERSAM,
JOSEPH W. HOLDEN,
ARTHUR N. NEWHALL,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

A True Copy, Attest: John C. C. Small, Constable.

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